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KEY TO CLASSIFICATION SYMBOLS

CL - Classic

F - General Fiction

HF - Historical Fiction

J - Juvenile

M - Mystery

NF - Non-Fiction

R - Romance

SF - Science Fiction

Sp - Spy

SS - Short Stories

Su - Suspense

Th - Thriller

W - Western

TALKING BOOKS

NF A 3RD SERVING OF CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: 101 MORE STORIES TO OPEN THE HEART AND REKINDLE THE SPIRIT.

This third joyful collection highlights the best qualities we all share as human beings, namely compassion, grace, forgiveness, hope, courage, dedication, generosity and faith.

9:00 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

M Aird, Catherine

AFTER EFFECTS.

Only one thing links the deaths of two hospital patients -- a drug trial being carried out for Gilroy's Pharmaceuticals. But the man in charge of the trial has disappeared with the results. As Detective Inspector Sloan investigates, he must deal with a raid on Gilroy's by animal rights activists, and then the discovery of a man's body, found with a file on the drug.

5:40 hours.

Reader: Peter Barker

Reader: Jon Cartwright

M Aird, Catherine

A MOST CONTAGIOUS GAME

When a heart attack ends his successful business career in London at 52, Thomas Harding and his wife move to a mysterious Elizabethan house in the country. His efforts to unravel the secret of the old house parallel a murder investigation in the village.

6:17 hours.

M Albert, Susan Wittig

ROSEMARY REMEMBERED: [A CHINA BAYLES MYSTERY].

When China Bayles finds CPA Rosemary Robbins murdered, the suspects include a wife-killer, a boyfriend, and angry clients. China's lover goes off in pursuit of the wrong suspect, leaving the imperiled China to solve the crime with the aid of spiritual forces.

9:33 hours.

Reader: Faith Potts

M Alexander, Bruce

MURDER IN GRUB STREET.

This is the second in a series of mystery novels set in mid-18th century London featuring blind magistrate Sir John Fielding. Accompanied by his "eyes", young Jeremy Proctor, Sir John comes across a shocking crime. All the household occupants of a Grub Street bookseller-publisher have been murdered.

9:05 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

F Alexis, André CHILDHOOD.

In a letter to an absent lover, Thomas MacMillan tells of his life and family, who left Trinidad and lived in Southern Ontario during the 1950s and 60s. Thomas follows his restless mother from city to city, until they find themselves in Ottawa, where they fall under the spell of the eccentric Henry Wing, a self-styled scientist who lives in faded Victoria splendour.

8:37 hours.

Reader: Bruce Roney

Th Allbeury, Ted THE LONG RUN.

This adventure-thriller follows a gaggle of irresponsible journalists an self-seeking politicians, whose aim is to seize control of global powers by cynically manipulating news and public opinion to satisfy their own ends.

7:45 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

F Allende, Isabel

THE HOUSE OF THE SPIRITS.

This family saga is set amid the politics and passion of South America. It starts with the relationship and marriage between Clara and Esteban -- one haunted by the death of Clara's sister Rosa. Esteban builds an extravagant house where their children grow into the weave of controversy and notoriety resulting from the couple's separate beliefs.

18:45 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

NF Alsager, Judy

GANG RANCH: THE REAL STORY.

Historic and isolated, the Gang Ranch was one of the oldest and largest cattle ranches in the world. In 1978, it came into Canadian ownership headed by the Alsager family. This is a story of the hard work, humour and stress faced by the Alsagers -- stress that led to financial struggles and legal turmoil between family members.

8:25 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

F Amis, Kingsley THE BIOGRAPHER'S MOUSTACHE.

Gordon Scott-Thompson is commissioned to write a biography of veteran novelist, Jimmie Fane. Fane has many pet hates, including men with moustaches and trendy pronunciation. However, Fane's wife might have a different view. Will the biographer have to part with his moustache, or respond to an amorous advance in order to complete his work?

8:00 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

NF Anderson, Flo

LIGHTHOUSE CHRONICLES.

This is a memoir describing, from a woman's point of view, what it was like raising a family on tiny, exposed islands while she and her husband worked on the BC lights for 20 years. The special joys of living in wild and natural places, and the essential exacting work of light keeping are also captured in this interesting read.

6:35 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

F Andrews, V. C. HEART SONG.

Melody desperately seeks to uncover the dark secrets of the past in order to escape from Aunt Sara, who sees her as a replacement for her own dead daughter, and Uncle Jacob who views her as a reminder of family shame. She finds affection with her beloved Cary. Sequel to "Melody". Followed by "Unfinished symphony".

11:05 hours.

SF Anthony, Patricia CRADLE OF SPLENDOR.

In this near-future tale, Brazil is on the verge of becoming a world power in space. When a troubled launch inexplicably achieves orbit, the United States thinks Brazil has seized a UFO and plans to invade. As agents uncover the mystery, the ensuing turmoil leads to tragedy. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

10:25 hours.

Reader: Ilona Dulaski

F Archer, Jeffrey

THE FOURTH ESTATE.

Richard Armstrong is a European Jew who escaped the Nazis and fled to England. Keith Townsend is the son of a wealthy Australian newspaper publisher. They control competing mass-circulation newspapers in Britain and New York, and each plans to own the largest media empire in the world. Some strong language.

20:35 hours.

Reader: George Holmes

Reader: Mikel Lambert

R Argers, Helen

NOBLESSE OBLIGE.

Caroline Richmond has only one chance at a London season, and it appears she will be successful. Caroline has captured the attention of one of London's most eligible bachelors, Branville, the marquis of Kimston. But as the season draws to an end, the marquis has not offered for her, and Caroline returns home in disgrace. Then her father arranges for her to wed the marquis's father.

11:10 hours.

NF Armstrong, Joe C. W. CHAMPLAIN.

Biography of Samuel de Champlain, the explorer who first understood North America's potential for settlement, agriculture, and trade. Armstrong details Champlain's explorations in North America, and discusses his skills as a navigator, naturalist, ethnographer, and administrator.

13:22 hours.

Reader: Muriel McCuaig

NF Armstrong, Karen

HOLY WAR: THE CRUSADES AND THEIR IMPACT ON TODAY'S WORLD.

A historical account of the medieval Crusades, which the author asserts spawned a cycle of religious conflicts in the Middle East that continues in the twentieth century. Gives a "triple vision" of the history of holy war for Christians, Jews, and Muslims.

28:41 hours.

Reader: Robert Blumenfeld

R Atherton, Nancy

AUNT DIMITY AND THE DUKE.

When Emma Porter's lover dumps her, she escapes by starting on a driving tour of English gardens. Her plans are derailed and she ends up at Penford Hall, a manor house whose owners are beset by suspicion and almost comic intrigue. She meets an attractive widower, and while trying to solve the mysteries of the manor, begins to fall in love again.

9:10 hours.

F Atkinson, Kate

BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE MUSEUM.

Beginning with her conception above a Yorkshire pet shop in 1951, Ruby Lennox intermingles accounts of her adventures and misadventures with the history of four generations of her female ancestors. 1995 Whitbread Prize.

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Reader: Jennifer Mendenhall

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Reader: Jennifer Mendenhall

R Bacher, June Masters

LOVE IS A GENTLE STRANGER.

After being jilted by her fiance, gently bred Chris Beth Kelly heads for Oregon Territory where she plans to be a teacher. Shortly after her arrival, she learns that her sister is also coming to Oregon. Both girls find themselves engulfed by a family of friends, and their individual pains begin to heal.

5:30 hours.

Reader: Janis Gray

HF Bainbridge, Beryl

EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF.

This is an enthralling fictionalized account of the sinking of the "Titanic". It follows the nephew of J. P. Morgan and his wealthy companions as they live in luxury right up until the time when disaster strikes.

6:05 hours.

Reader: William Samples

Th Baldacci, David ABSOLUTE POWER.

A brutal murder involves the President of the United States and his mistress in this thriller which explores the themes of abuse of power and criminal conspiracy. A high level cover-up orchestrated by the Secret Service and an overly zealous chief of staff, is threatened by an unlikely witness who can expose everything.

16:05 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

M Baldacci, David TOTAL CONTROL

Sidney Archer learns her missing husband Jason, has traded identities, and evidence suggests he was selling corporate secrets to a high-tech rival. First Jason, and now Sidney, is pursued by hired killers, eager to recover a vital encrypted computer disk. She turns to an FBI agent who believes her innocence for help.

16:25 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

M Baldacci, David THE WINNER.

LuAnn Tyler is tough, sly woman from Georgia. To escape a false murder charge she accepts a big lottery win and flees the country. But the lottery was fixed and she is tricked by a ruthless scam artist who controls her life and her soul. After 10 years she rebels and summons the courage and strength to fight this predator and the FBI.

16:10 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

Sp Banville, John THE UNTOUCHABLE.

Intelligent, respected, even knighted, Victor Maskell must re-examine his values when his lifetime of treachery as a double agent becomes public knowledge. Through writing his memoirs, Maskell sorts through all the lies he has created, and lived, to find out who he really is and if his life has been worth living.

13:20 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

F Barraclough, June FAMILIAR ACTS

As a child growing up in Victorian England, Hetty Coppen always sensed that her mother favoured Hetty's younger sister. When Hetty discovers that she is a stepchild, she vows to uncover her family's past. On a trip in Italy, Hetty encounters intrigue and romance as she assembles her family history.

11:35 hours.

Reader: Gabriella Cavallero

M Beaton, M. C.

AGATHA RAISIN AND THE MURDEROUS MARRIAGE.

When Agatha Raisin's first husband Jimmy is found murdered, Agatha and her fiance James, are the prime suspects. The only way for them to clear themselves is to find the real killer.

6:10 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

M Beaton, M. C. DEATH OF A DENTIST.

When Hamish MacBeth shows up for his emergency dental appointment with Dr. Gilchrist, he finds the dentist not only dead but with all his teeth drilled. As he searches for the killer, MacBeth gets help from a local seer who has information to share -- from the spirits -- of course.

6:05 hours. Reader: Gillian Neumann

M Benison, C. C.

DEATH AT SANDRINGHAM HOUSE.

Jane Bee, lowly housemaid to Queen Elizabeth, happens to be on hand when Her Majesty discovers a body -- one that happens to be dressed-up as the Queen, complete with tiara. The Queen is not amused and recruits Jane to become Her Majesty's eyes and ears. Working together, they solve a 50-year-old mystery.

13:35 hours. Reader: Trish Grainge

F Berg, Elizabeth

TALK BEFORE SLEEP.

Ann and Ruth met at a party. It was hate at first sight, until a chance encounter in the bathroom led to an alliance of souls. Soon they were sharing everything, telling truths about marriage, mortality and love, secure in a kind of intimacy no man would ever know. Then Ruth becomes diagnosed with cancer and the sharing becomes more profound.

6:10 hours. Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

F Berg, Elizabeth

THE PULL OF THE MOON.

Sometimes humorous, sometimes heartbreaking, always intimate and honest this novel is about a woman coming to terms with issues of importance to all women. It addresses the thorniness, and the allure, of marriage, the sweet ties to children, as well as the gifts and lessons that come from random encounters with strangers, including handsome men.

4:25 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

F Binchy, Maeve

THE GLASS LAKE.

When handsome Louis Gray abandons Mary Helena Healy to marry a rich woman, "Helen" settles for Martin McMahon, a pharmacist in an Irish village. But after two children and a decidedly dull life, "Lena" is reunited with Louis. They both enjoy successful careers and the faster pace of London. But Lena longs for a relationship with her daughter, Kit, so she concocts a scheme whereby she can contact Kit but protect her true identity.

27:46 hours.

Reader: Lucy Brennan

SS Binchy, Maeve

THIS YEAR IT WILL BE DIFFERENT AND OTHER STORIES.

This is a collection of fifteen short 1990s-style Christmas stories. They address the thorny issues that arise in blended families, in dealing with ex-spouses, difficult in-laws and wandering husbands.

5:35 hours.

SS Birdsell, Sandra

THE TWO-HEADED CALF.

Nine stories, set in urban and rural Manitoba, which explore the dislocations between cultures and generations, and between the conflicting aspects of ourselves and our yearnings.

9:06 hours.

Reader: Brenda Bazinet

M Block, Lawrence

THE BURGLAR IN THE LIBRARY.

Book thief Bernie Rhodenbarr has his work cut out for him, when in the wake of a paralysing winter storm, a body is discovered in the library of a local bed-and-breakfast.

8:00 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Bocking, Richard C.

MIGHTY RIVER: A PORTRAIT OF THE FRASER.

This is more than just a re-telling of the Fraser River's human and natural histories. It also sounds an alarm for a mighty river that has been compromised by careless development, and by damage to adjoining ecosystems.

13:25 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Bode, Richard

FIRST YOU HAVE TO ROW A LITTLE BOAT : REFLECTIONS ON LIFE AND LIVING.

Distressed by business worries and a recent divorce, the author discovers peace and a new sense of perspective through the simple activity of rowing and sailing a very small craft among the island of the New England Coast.

4:05 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Bombeck, Erma

FOREVER, ERMA: BEST-LOVED WRITING FROM AMERICA'S FAVORITE HUMORIST

This compilation of the late Erma Bombeck's humorous work represents the best of her 30-year writing career. All the familiar characters are here: the ungrateful kids, the husband behind the newspaper and the competitive friends. Bombeck is eulogized by Ellen Goodman and Art Buckwald, and there is a touching good-bye from her husband.

10:10 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

R Bonner, Cindy

THE PASSION OF DELLIE O'BARR.

The youngest De Lony sister has now, in the 1880s, grown up. Although married to Daniel, a solid and settled man, Dellie is swept off her feet by Andy, whose political agitation churns the emotions of the rural Texas town. Throwing aside convention, Dellie foolishly follows her heart. Explicit descriptions of sex and some strong language. Sequel to "Looking after Lily."

11:48 hours.

Reader: Annie Wauters

NF Boorstin, Daniel J.

CLEOPATRA'S NOSE: ESSAYS ON THE UNEXPECTED.

Librarian of Congress Emeritus Daniel Boorstin shares his enjoyment of how the unexpected has shaped history. Seventeen essays marvel at the unexpected results of technological advancement and challenge the predictability of human endeavour. The title is from the Pascal quote: "Cleopatra's nose, had it been shorter, the whole face of the world would have been changed."

7:05 hours.

Reader: Roy Avers

NF Boulton, Marsha

JUST A MINUTE : GLIMPSES OF OUR GREAT CANADIAN HERITAGE.

The discovery of dinosaur bones in Alberta, Jacques Plante's invention of the hockey mask, and Marshall McLuhan's radical analysis of the media and the modern world are all interesting pieces of the Canadian puzzle. This book highlights fascinating stories about the nation that was named after the Iroquois word for "village".

5:30 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

SF Bova, Ben

TO SAVE THE SUN

When the emperor of the Hundred Worlds learns that Earth's sun will explode, destroying all life on humankind's ancient home, he throws his support behind a young scientist determined to save Earth. But the emperor is dying. Will his heir, Crown Prince Javas, take up the cause over the objections of those who say that Earth has outlived its usefulness? Some strong language. Followed by "To fear the light."

15:30 hours.

Reader: Gary Tipton

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

M Bowen, Gail

MURDER AT THE MENDEL

After attending the opening of a highly controversial art exhibit by her childhood friend, Sally Love, at the Mendel Art Gallery, Joanne Kilbourn soon finds herself ensnared in a web of intrigue, violence and murder.

6:55 hours.

NF Bowering, George BOWERING'S B.C.

This is B.C. history in story form. It goes where no history has gone before and offers a unique and sometimes tongue-in-cheek look at BC's past.

17:35 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

F Bradford, Barbara Taylor HER OWN RULES.

Meredith Stratton, successful owner of six international inns with plans for two more in Europe, is a happy mother with two children, one of whom is about to be engaged. But the fulfilment of Meredith's dreams is overshadowed by a fatiguing illness and visions of her lost childhood. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

7:52 hours.

Reader: Ann Hodapp

M Braun, Lilian Jackson

THE CAT WHO CAME TO BREAKFAST.

A Jim Qwilleran, Koko and Yum Yum mystery. The development of a major resort complex on Pear Island is turning the town upside down. When a cabin cruiser explodes, Qwill and the cats have many suspects, motives and accidents to investigate to uncover the murderer.

6:20 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

M Braun, Lilian Jackson

THE CAT WHO SANG FOR THE BIRDS.

Several minor cases of vandalism around Pickax begin to escalate until the Widow Coggin is murdered. It's up to Jim Qwilleran and his Siamese cats Koko and Yum Yum to solve the case!

6:05 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

Su Brett, Simon

SINGLED OUT.

This is a novel filled with psychological suspense. TV producer Laura Fisher chooses a stranger to father the child she feels she must have in order to assert her independence. But on the day she gives birth she discovers shocking revelations about the man who fathered her child. A murderous legacy begins to play out in her life.

6:10 hours.

Reader: William Samples

NF Brinkley, Dannion

SAVED BY THE LIGHT: THE TRUE STORY OF A MAN WHO DIED TWICE AND THE PROFOUND REVELATIONS HE RECEIVED.

During Brinkley's initial death experience, thirteen angelic instructors told him of events that would shake the world before 2000. Of the 117 revelations he recalls, 95 have come to pass. His second experience revealed he was to use his psychic and spiritual gifts to aid those who are dying or in desperate circumstances.

4:15 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Brinkley, David

EVERYONE IS ENTITLED TO MY OPINION

This collection of 180 pieces represents the closing comments of the TV news program "This week with David Brinkley." Together they show an urbane newsman's sense of the absurd in politics and in daily life. His favourite topic is government bungling, and as a Washington insider, he had no shortage of material writing his commentaries.

3:45 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

R Bristow, Gwen

THIS SIDE OF GLORY.

In Louisiana just before WW 1, young Eleanor Upjohn falls in love with Koster Larne, a high-spirited charmer from an aristocratic family. Both families are opposed to marriage, but they persist. Eleanor soon discovers that the Larne's fortunes are failing and circumstances force her to take control of the estate.

13:50 hours.

Reader: Michael Hart

CL Brontë, Anne

THE TENANT OF WILDFELL HALL.

The story of Helen Huntingdon and her swaggering, debauched husband, and of Gilbert Markham, the man who falls in love with Helen.

20:45 hours.

Reader: Philip Smith

CL Brontë, Charlotte

THE PROFESSOR.

This first novel by the famous author of "Jane Eyre" is based on Brontë's experience as a young woman studying in Belgium, where she fell hopelessly in love with a married teacher.

11:48 hours.

Reader: Peter Hart

F Brookner, Anita VISITORS

Seventy-year-old Dorothea May enjoys the freedoms of her comfortable, albeit dull life. A wedding in her family brings unexpected young visitors to her home and, to her surprise, she finds that she enjoys the company of Steve, the best man. Her reaction to Steve's presence makes Thea question her comfortable facade and the life she is living.

8:30 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

NF Brooks, Geraldine

NINE PARTS OF DESIRE: THE HIDDEN WORLD OF ISLAMIC WOMEN.

Portrait of an oppressed class slowly achieving some liberation. During a six-year Middle East assignment, a Western journalist wears the veil and mixes with Muslims in a quest to understand women in the Islamic world. Brooks talked with fundamentalists and feminists, studied the Koran, witnessed surgical procedures to repair genital mutilation, and gathered impressions of cultural traditions.

10:27 hours.

Reader: Carole Jordan Stewart

F Brooks, Terry

FIRST KING OF SHANNARA.

Prequel to the "Sword of Shannara", from the Shannara series. Using skills he acquired through his study of Magic, the Druid Bremen is able to penetrate the advancing Troll army and learn many of its secrets. The peoples of the Four Lands must unite if they are to escape eternal subjugation.

16:40 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

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F Brooks, Terry

THE SWORD OF SHANNARA.

As the last living heir of Jerle Shannara, only Shea Ohmsford can use the sword of Shannara against the evil Warlock Lord. On him rests the hope of all races. But of course the Warlock dispatches a skull bearer with orders to destroy Shea. 2nd in the series between "First king of Shannara" and "The keystones of Shannara".

21:25 hours.

M Brown, Rita Mae

PAY DIRT, OR, ADVENTURES AT ASH LAWN

The tiny town of Crozet, Virginia, is abuzz with strange happenings. A wild, leather-clad biker is found murdered just after he arrives in town, and a computer virus causes a two-million-dollar shortfall at the local bank. A sagacious team of house pets untangles the mysteries of murder and money. Strong language.

6:56 hours.

Reader: Laura Giannarellli

R Brown, Sandra CHARADE

Cat Delaney thinks all her problems are solved after she receives a badly needed heart transplant. However, the operation also changes her outlook on her life as the star of a TV soap opera. A new job and a new love follow, but things turn ugly again when she learns that other transplant patients are being stalked and murdered.

13:30 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

Reader: Barbara Byers

R Brown, Sandra

TEMPERATURES RISING.

Scout Ritland travels to Parrish Island in the South Pacific to construct the Coral Reef resort. While attending the grand opening celebration, he is kidnapped by the alluring Chantal duPont. She wants Scout to build a bridge for her native village. But is that all she wants? Explicit descriptions of sex.

5:41 hours.

NF Bruce, Evangeline

NAPOLEON AND JOSEPHINE: THE IMPROBABLE MARRIAGE.

A retelling of the famous romance between the ambitious young army officer and the reluctant, older divorcee, then mistress of Napoleon's patron, Paul Barras. Bruce, an authority on French history, bases much of her narrative on letters among the principals as she details the marriage that endured infidelity on both sides and ended because the emperor needed an heir.

22:10 hours.

Reader: Suzanne Toren

NF Bryson, Bill

NOTES FROM A SMALL ISLAND.

American journalist Bryson spent two decades working in Britain. Before he left the place he came to love, he took a jaunt around England observing the country and the people as a visitor might. The result is a witty and irreverent portrait that celebrates the ludicrous and the endearing things that make Britain what it is.

9:45 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Bryson, Bill

A WALK IN THE WOODS.

Bryson tackles the American wilderness as he starts out to walk the entire 2,100 miles of the Appalachian Trail from Georgia to Maine. His journey is both gruelling and fascinating, taking him through poverty-stricken and backwoods areas, and giving a rare perspective on American life.

9:45 hours.

M Buckley, Christopher THANK YOU FOR SMOKING.

This is a wonderfully funny spoof of the standard plot of the "I've got to figure out who's trying to kill me before they do" style of mystery. An anti-smoking extremist group plays the villain to tobacco spokesman Nick Naylor's good guy.

9:50 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

SF Burgess, Anthony A CLOCKWORK ORANGE

A 15-year-old hooligan named Alex roams the streets of London terrorizing people at random. He is arrested and subjected to corrective brainwashing with unanticipated results. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex.

7:06 hours.

Reader: Geoffrey Pierpoint

M Burke, James Lee CADILLAC JUKEBOX.

Set in the American South, this novel follows investigator Dave Robicheaux as he tries to ensure fair treatment for a poor white man accused of assassinating a prominent black civil rights leader.

9:25 hours. Reader: Robert Adams

M Burke, Jan GOODNIGHT, IRENE.

O'Connor, Irene Kelly's best friend from her newspaper days, is blown to bits in his front yard. Homicide detective Frank Harriman asks Irene to help him by returning to her newspaper job to find out if O'Connor had made any progress on his pet project -- a thirty-five-year-old case of an anonymous murder victim. Strong language and violence.

10:05 hours. Reader: Carol Dines

NF Burns,

THE JOY OF BOOKS: CONFESSIONS OF A LIFELONG READER.

The "passivity of the moviegoer or the blind docility of the television addict" are not for Burns. He is a reader of books. Burns looks at the history of books from their inception; discusses their power to educate and entertain; describes a book burning; and delves into the motivation of some writers. He concludes with a list of 572 books that have given him joy over the years.

6:15 hours.

Reader: John Lescault

NF Burns, George

100 YEARS, 100 STORIES.

Just before he died, the late, great comedian provided a selection of his favourite and funniest stories that included reminiscences about his own past, and anecdotes about friends, family and colleagues. Among those subjected to his wit were Al Jolson, Groucho Marx, Bob Hope and Goldie Hawn.

2:30 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

SF Butler, Octavia E

BLOODCHILD AND OTHER STORIES.

The title story, winner of the Hugo and Nebula Awards for science fiction, tells of a horrified man, who, because of love, agrees to carry the devouring eggs and larvae of an extraterrestrial being. The collection includes three other science fiction pieces, a general short story, and two essays. The author, known for her feminist and racial themes, gives tips on getting published.

3:45 hours.

Reader: Carole Jordan Stewart

F Byatt, A. S. BABEL TOWER.

In mid-1960s England, an unhappily married Frederica lives in a country manor isolated from her Cambridge friends. After she flees with her son to make a new life, she becomes the focus of a court case over custody of her son and involved in an obscenity case for her part in publishing a lurid novel. Strong language.

29 hours.

Reader: Laura Giannarelli

NF Cahill, Tim

PASS THE BUTTERWORMS: REMOTE JOURNEYS ODDLY RENDERED.

With much humour and stylistic flair, the author presents 29 selections about his numerous travels. Ranging from the steppes of Mongolia, jungle rivers in Honduras, the glacier fields of Alaska and the swamplands of west New Guinea. The author is open to the wisdom of indigenous peoples and critical of assaults on the environment.

10:25 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Cameron, Silver Donald

WIND, WHALES, AND WHISKEY: A CAPE BRETON VOYAGE.

This is a detailed and engaging account of a summer exploration of Cape Breton Island. In 1990 Cameron, his wife and son, sailed their cutter "Silversark" around the island, stopping along the way, and discovered a place rich in history and filled with extraordinary inhabitants.

10:30 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Careless, Ric

TO SAVE THE WILD EARTH: FIELD NOTES FROM THE ENVIRONMENTAL FRONTLINE.

This book provides behind-the-scenes glimpses of critical moments in each of nine British Columbia environmental campaigns aimed at protecting wilderness areas. It reveals the kind of strategy needed to achieve victories, and gives personal reminiscences of some political leaders encountered along the way.

8:30 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Carlin, George BRAIN DROPPINGS.

A veteran comic offers zany observations and opinions on various aspects of life. Carlin cites oxymorons (mandatory options), redundancies (added bonus), and euphemisms (body bags equal remains pouches). He also relay his views of pretentiousness in twentieth-century society. Strong language.

6:56 hours.

Reader: Ray Hagen

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

M Carr, Caleb THE ALIENIST.

In 1896 New York, psychologist - or in period terminology - "alienist", Laszlo Kreizler, joins forces with journalist John Schuyler Moore to track a vicious serial killer. Using a technique that is revolutionary for the time, they compile a psychological profile of the murderer, and search for him in the seamy underside of the city.

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17:05 hours.

NF Carson, Rachel

ALWAYS, RACHEL: THE LETTERS OF RACHEL CARSON AND DOROTHY FREEMAN, 1952-1964.

Rachel Carson, author of "The silent spring" and pioneer of the environmental movement did not write an autobiography, but left the letters she exchanged with Dorothy Freeman. About 750 letters are collected here that reveal the events of the two women's family lives, with details of Carson's research and writing and her fatal fight with cancer.

28:25 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

Cato, Nancy HF FOREFATHERS.

This is an Australian family saga tracing the fortunes and misfortunes of three families through seven generations. In the early 1800's three men, a squatter, a Canadian convict and an adventurer meet in Tasmania. Their story and the continuing stories of their children complete the novel.

27:25 hours.

Reader: Christopher Gaze

Reader: Harold Roberts

Caunitz, William J. M CLEOPATRA'S GOLD.

Alejandro is a nightclub singer in New York, but he's also an undercover cop. His mission is to avenge his father's murder, and break the so-called Cleopatra Syndicate which is involved with a heroine smuggling network. Along the way he meets two women. One represents love, a lethal liability for him, and the other one is named Cleopatra.

9:20 hours.

F Chafets, Zeev THE BOOKMAKERS.

When Mack Green brazenly foils an attempted holdup, the burned-out writer realizes he wants to die. So he proposes writing a suicide diary of his final year, his agent likes the idea, and Mack's offbeat project begins. But Mack finds love and a reason to live and the scheme goes awry. Strong language.

7:18 hours.

Reader: Andy Wieck

M Chesbro, George C.

DREAM OF A FALLING EAGLE: A MONGO MYSTERY.

Mongo is a dwarf, a private detective, martial arts expert, ex-circus headliner and criminologist who has featured in 13 previous mysteries. Here, he connects a purloined poem, a voodoo ritual and an encrypted computer file, in a plot to assassinate the U.S. President and Vice-President. Police, FBI and CIA regulars complicate his life.

5:45 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

R Chesney, Marion

THE MISER OF MAYFAIR.

It was the fashion during the Regency to hire a house for the season in Mayfair. But when the perennially vacant Number 67 Clarges Street is finally let, it is to Roderick Sinclair, a renowned miser. His ward, Fiona, and Rainbird, the clever, elegant butler conspire to change his ways. First in "House for the Season" series.

5:45 hours.

R Chesney, Marion PLAIN JANE.

Jane Hart along with her sister Euphemia enter the London social scene when they take up residence at Number 67 Clarges Street. Constantly overshadowed by her gorgeous sister, Jane turns away from the parties and concentrates on solving the mystery behind the death of Clara, a former tenant of No. 67. Second in "House for the Season" series.

5:45 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

R Chesney, Marion TO DREAM OF LOVE.

This is a charming romp through Regency England. Two sisters search for love and an assured future, each vying for the same man, who is the notorious Marquess of Arden.

5:45 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

R Chesney, Marion THE WICKED GODMOTHER

Young Harriet Metcalf has been entrusted with managing the estate and daughters of Sir Benjamin Hayner after his death. Harriet and her charges move into 67 Clarges Street for the season. When vicious gossip threatens their happiness Harriet turns to Rainbird and the other staff to solve the problem. 3rd in "A house for the season" series.

5:25 hours.

F Chopra, Deepak THE RETURN OF MERLIN.

In this sweeping mystery two constables discover a body in a ditch, which sets off a series of disturbing phenomena. The body disappears and other people are then reported missing. As they investigate they discover a stone that opens a doorway to the past. This leads them to a medieval land, complete with wizards and Arthurian knights.

16:15 hours.

Reader: William Samples

M Christie, Agatha PARTNERS IN CRIME.

A series of twenty-three light parodies about the changing fortunes of Tommy and Tuppence Beresford since they took over an international detective agency. No one can say the Beresfords were not warned, but they are confident in the knowledge gleaned from reading every detective novel published in the past decade.

7:07 hours.

Reader: Anne Flosnik

M Clark, Mary Higgins MOONLIGHT BECOMES YOU.

Maggie Holloway is a successful young fashion photographer who uses her training to help investigate the recent deaths of elderly women in Newport. The victims all knew each other. What Maggie doesn't know is that the closer she gets to solving the mysterious deaths, the closer she is to becoming another victim.

10:05 hours.

F Clark, Mary Higgins SILENT NIGHT.

It is Christmas time and a young mother from the Midwest and her two sons travel to New York to visit their father, who is being treated for cancer. The younger boy sees another woman steal his mother's wallet and follows the thief into the subway. What happens after that changes their lives dramatically and forever.

3:40 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

SF Clarke, Arthur Charles

3001: THE FINAL ODYSSEY.

Clarke brings the odyssey to a conclusion in this story. A thousand years from now the frozen body of Frank Poole is discovered and brought back to life. Poole sets out to continue the journey that he, Dave Bowman and HAL began a thousand years ago.

6:00 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

W Clarke, Richard

COMANCHE TRAIL.

The men of the Comanche Indians were fierce warriors and fighters against white encroachment on their territory. In this fictionalized description of warrior prowess, we see how they lived their lives with strength, valour and spirituality.

5:05 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

NF Clarridge, Duane R.

A SPY FOR ALL SEASONS: MY LIFE IN THE CIA

A former CIA chief and undercover agent recounts his exploits during thirty years of service in Turkey, Iraq, India and Italy; his frustrating attempts to recruit foreign agents during the Cold War; and his role in the "Iran-Contra" scandal that led to his resignation and a presidential pardon in 1992.

18:56 hours.

Reader: John Stratton

NF Cohon, George

TO RUSSIA WITH FRIES.

This is the autobiography of the Canadian head of McDonald's Corporation. He is a colourful and successful businessman who had the patience, persistence and good humour to navigate the maze of obstacles set in his way by a scornful communist bureaucracy as he opened McDonald's outlets in Russia. His story is lively and entertaining.

10:25 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

F Collins, Jackie

VENDETTA: LUCKY'S REVENGE

Sicilians never forget someone who causes them trouble, and Donna Bonnatti Landsman has plans for Lucky Santangelo, who now owns Panther Studios. Donna's determination to take over the company leads to murder and revenge. Sequel to "Lady boss". Strong language, explicit descriptions of sex, and some violence.

17:03 hours.

Reader: Madelyn Buzzard

Su Collins, Max Allan

BLOOD AND THUNDER: A NATHAN HELLER NOVEL.

This novel is set in Louisiana in the mid-1930s. Senator Huey Long is challenging Roosevelt for the presidency, and Nathan Heller is hired to discover who is plotting Long's assassination. He runs head first into intrigue and criminal elements in American political circles.

8:25 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Collins, Robert

YOU HAD TO BE THERE: AN INTIMATE PORTRAIT OF THE GENERATION THAT SURVIVED THE DEPRESSION, WON THE WAR, AND RE-INVENTED CANADA.

Collins provides a history of the extraordinary and influential generation which came of age during the 1920s and 1930s. Better educated, more affluent, and longer-lived than any previous generation, they participated in the change from a world of Model T's and crank telephone to space travel and computers.

10:21 hours.

Reader: John Lane

M Connelly, Michael BLOOD WORK.

Terrell McCaleb, a former FBI investigator of serial murders, was leading a quiet life as he recovered from a heart transplant. But he became hooked on a newspaper story about an unsolved murder. He took up the case. What first looked like a random crime takes on more baffling and horrific angles than anything he had ever encountered.

11:05 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Conway, Jill K.

WHEN MEMORY SPEAKS: REFLECTIONS ON AUTOBIOGRAPHY.

Conway considers the memoir -- how it has developed over the centuries, the forms and styles it assumes, and the strikingly different ways in which men and women present their lives.

7:23 hours.

Reader: Karen Melville

NF Cook, M. A MUHAMMAD.

Life of the Arab merchant turned prophet and politician who established a religious state in western Arabia in the 620s. Cook discusses the history of theism; Koranic law; the concepts of the hijra, the jihad, and the umma; the importance of Mecca; and the origins of Islam.

3:10 hours.

Reader: Ed Blake

R Cookson, Catherine THE BONNY DAWN.

Set on the Northumbrian coast in the 1960s, this story takes place over one day, a period during which everyone involved discovers that the consequences of an innocent meeting between two young people are far more significant than the event itself.

5:10 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

R Cookson, Catherine JUSTICE IS A WOMAN.

The day the bride came to Fell Rise, the bridegroom had already begun to fear she might not easily settle into the big house on the hill. For Joe Remington this had always been home, but for Elaine, who was from London, it was virtually another country. But Joe has other worries, for it was May 1926 and a General Strike would begin at midnight.

9:44 hours.

Reader: Patricia Jones

F Cookson, Catherine THE LADY ON MY LEFT.

Alison, orphaned at the age of two, lives with her appointed guardian, Paul, who is an experienced antique dealer. Paul teaches Alison everything about the trade. When he asks her to value the contents of Beacon Ride, it exposes secrets which Paul has tried to hide for years. Alison must deal with the situation head on.

5:45 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

NF Coren, Stanley WHAT DO DOGS KNOW?

While discussing what dogs think, feel, see, or dream, we learn about real dogs such as Bud who helped his blind master drive, and Daisy who helped keep the spirits of torpedoed crewmen alive as they floundered in the ocean. We discover what kind of music dogs like, what their favourite TV shows are and why chihuahuas make the best guard dogs.

2:25 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

M Cormier, Robert

IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT.

Twenty-five years ago, young John Paul was an usher in the old Globe Theater. During a show for orphans, the balcony collapsed killing and injuring children. John Paul was questioned about the incident and has been receiving harassing phone calls ever since. He has tried to shield his family, but now his sixteen-year-old son, Denny, is targeted by one of the survivors. Junior and senior high.

4:45 hours.

Reader: John Lescault

M Cornwell, Patricia Daniels HORNET'S NEST

Police chief Judy Hammer, deputy chief Virginia West, and young reporter Andy Brazil are perplexed by a serial killer who paints his victims' genitals orange. Pursuing a trail of odd clues, the trio tracks and brings down the culprit in a perilous climax. Strong language and violence

13:18 hours.

Reader: Madelyn Buzzard

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

HF Cotton, Ralph W.

WHILE ANGELS DANCE: THE LIFE AND TIMES OF JESTON NASH.

Set in the years just after the American Civil War, this novel follows the adventures of Jeston Nash, a former soldier, as he crosses America's wide open plains be-friending outlaws, lawmen and even a high society woman who eventually brings him respectability.

11:10 hours.

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R Coulter, Catherine THE WYNDHAM LEGACY

The Earl of Chase dies without a son, leaving Marcus in line to inherit, but he has laced his legacy with some vengeful stipulations, putting Marcus' future in Josephina's hands. Together they must solve two mysteries - one from the past and one that shadows the present. This is a romance novel full of deception, intrigue and high drama.

12:55 hours. Reader: Gillian Neumann

F Crichton, Michael AIRFRAME.

A lethal mid-air disaster aboard a commercial airliner bound from Hong Kong to Denver leaves 3 dead and 56 injured. The interior is destroyed, but the plane is able to land. The investigation is pressured and frantic, in the hope of allaying public fears about death in the skies.

10:00 hours. Reader: Bryon Johnsen

SF Crichton, Michael

THE LOST WORLD: A NOVEL.

It has been six years since Jurassic Park was dismantled, the dinosaurs destroyed, and the island closed to the public. Still, rumours abound that something has survived. There is terror awaiting those who must investigate.

11:20 hours. Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Crombie, Deborah LEAVE THE GRAVE GREEN.

Scotland Yard Superintendent Duncan Kincaid and Sergeant Gemma James, travel to the countryside when Connor Swann is found in the Thames River. Swann is the estranged husband of Julia, daughter of two prominent opera figures. The family had suffered a similar loss two decades earlier when Julia's brother Matthew drowned while playing, but Swann's death doesn't appear to be an accident. Strong language.

9:40 hours.

Reader: Patricia Kilgarriff

NF Crosbie, John

NO HOLDS BARRED: MY LIFE IN POLITICS.

John Crosbie, the colourful politician from Newfoundland, writes this political memoir about his 28 years in public life. He is known mostly as a cabinet minister in Brian Mulroney's Tory government, and as someone whose comments would often raise howls of controversy. In this book he gives his frank opinions about himself and other politicians.

14:05 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

Reader: Ed Blake

NF Crow Dog, Leonard

CROW DOG: FOUR GENERATIONS OF SIOUX MEDICINE MEN.

Family history of the Brulé Native American clan named Crow Dog. Leonard Crow Dog, spiritual leader of the American Indian Movement at the second seige of Wounded Knee in 1973, traces his lineage to the first Crow Dog, Jerome -- a leader of the Ghost Dance of 1889 and comrade of Sitting Bull and Crazy Horse. Crow Dog also describes Lakota rituals and ceremonies.

8:30 hours.

M Cullen, Robert

DISPATCH FROM A COLD COUNTRY.

Colin Burke, an editor at the "Washington Tribune", receives an urgent call from one of his proteges regarding a gripping story from St. Petersburg. They arrange to meet but she fails to show up. Burke unravels a riveting story of murder, greed, high-stakes crime and corruption at the highest levels in today's Russian.

14:05 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Cumings, Bruce

KOREA'S PLACE IN THE SUN: A MODERN HISTORY.

Traces the history and transformation of Korea, describing its ancient heritage, its opening to commerce after 1860, its annexation by Japan in 1910, its post-World War II partition, its war between North and South in the early 1950s, and its emergence as an industrial power and political force in the world.

25:21 hours.

Reader: Jake Williams

F Cumyn, Alan

MAN OF BONE.

Bill Burridge has just moved with his family to the "island paradise" of Santa Irene for his first posting as a Canadian diplomat. Ten days later, he is kidnapped by revolutionaries, tortured, and eventually released because of his low status. Thrown back into his own world, Burridge and his family discover that returning to a normal life will be more difficult than they could have imagined. Strong language, violence, and some descriptions of sex.

6:57 hours.

Reader: Desmond Scott

F Curran, Colleen SOMETHING DRASTIC.

After eight years together, Lenore's boyfriend leaves her and moves to Florida. For the next year, Lenore writes letters to John, which remain unanswered. The letters recount Lenore's latest adventures, such as babysitting two lapdogs, and befriending feminists, firemen, and amateur theatre performers. The excuses Lenore makes for John's behaviour soon subside.

6:46 hours.

Reader: Aileen Seaton

NF Dabbs, Frank

RALPH KLEIN: A MAVERICK LIFE.

This political biography traces the life and career of Alberta's twelfth premier from his boyhood in Calgary to the province's top political job. Klein's style is controversial, but he has emerged as a tough, independent leader with a fascinating life.

9:05 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

M Davidson, Diane Mott

CATERING TO NOBODY.

This is a light "culinary mystery" featuring Goldy Bear and her catering business. When she caters the wake of her son's favourite teacher, someone poisons the coffee. Police officer Tom Schultz investigates, and although he is smitten by Goldy and her food, he closes her business down. Goldy has to find out who is out to get her.

8:10 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

M Davis, Lindsey VENUS IN COPPER.

Tired of his low-paying job as an informer for Emperor Vespasian, Marcus Falco goes to work as a private investigator. After all, the love of his life, Helena, will never marry him if he cannot support her in her accustomed style. In his first job he follows Severina Zotica, the gold-digger fiancee of wealthy real estate tycoon Hortensius Novus, but Novus turns up dead and Falco discovers some shady deals.

11:11 hours.

Reader: Christopher Scott

Sp **Deighton, Len** CHARITY.

Samson continues to peel away the mystery surrounding his sister-in-law Tessa's murder in Berlin. Again he is forced to confront the key relationships in his own life: Fiona, his wife; Gloria, his estranged mistress; and Werner, his childhood friend. All the while his father's spectre hovers over him. 3rd in the trilogy, preceded by "Hope".

8:25 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

Sp Deighton, Len HOPE.

With Cold War loyalties shifting, Bernard Samson is forced back into "the game". He is caught between his job and his ethics, his past and his future and the two women he loves. He is also trapped in a maze of danger and deception as he undertakes a mission that leads from Poland to London. 2nd in the trilogy of "Faith", "Hope" and "Charity".

10:50 hours.

Reader: William Samples

HF DeLillo, Don UNDERWORLD.

This narrative starts at the end of the Cold War in the early 1990s and works back to 1951 when baseball and the atomic bomb dominated headlines in American news. The private lives of Nick Shay, a waste disposal manager. and Klara Sax, an ecology-minded artist, intermingle with public events and historic characters. Some strong language.

28:45 hours.

Reader: John Stratton

R Delinsky, Barbara

FACETS.

A three-decade old family drama of power, duplicity and money is played out to an extraordinary conclusion. The main character is John St. George, who is not satisfied with his family fortune, and yearns for his father's young second wife. All along he has been in a passionate but loveless affair with writer Hillary Cox.

14:00 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

Reader: Pat Barlow

F Delinsky, Barbara A WOMAN'S PLACE.

In this novel about family conflict, wife, mother and successful entrepreneur Claire Raphael gets the shock of her life when her husband serves her with divorce papers and an order to vacate her home on the grounds that she is not a responsible mother. He wants custody of the children and a substantial alimony.

11:45 hours.

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NF Dershowitz, Alan M.

THE ABUSE EXCUSE: AND OTHER COP-OUTS, SOB STORIES, AND EVASIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY.

The noted defence attorney and law professor examines the increasingly popular defence used by Americans who admit to committing violent crimes. Dershowitz cites specific cases, from the Menendez brothers to Lorena Bobbitt, to argue that excusing defendants because they were abused undermines the legal system. Some strong language.

10:05 hours.

Reader: Randy Wieck

M Deutermann, Peter T. OFFICIAL PRIVILEGE.

When the body of a black navy lieutenant is found in a battleship, navy commander Dan collins and civilian Grace Snow are assigned to investigate. After they learn the victim's sister, a navy lieutenant herself, also died an untimely death, they are removed from the case. Continuing on their own, Collins and Snow attract the attention of a deadly problem solver. Strong language, violence and explicit descriptions of sex.

18:19 hours.

Reader: Bruce Huntey

R Deveraux, Jude THE HEIRESS

In 1572 English knight Jamie Montgomery is assigned to escort the Maidenhall heiress, who is joining her fiance. Because Jamie's family is now impoverished, his sisters convince Jamie to try to make the heiress fall in love with him. When Jamie mistakes the heiress's cousin for her and confides his plan to the heiress, she decides not to reveal her identity. Explicit descriptions of sex and some strong language.

9:56 hours.

Reader: Anne Flosnick

M Deverell, William TRIAL OF PASSION.

Jonathan O'Donnell, the acting dean of law at UBC, is charged with the rape of one of his female students. With his entire future at stake, he desperately seeks the help of Arthur Beauchamp, a leading criminal lawyer, who has just retired to an idyllic Gulf Island. Gender politics and island eccentricity blend together as the story proceeds.

11:45 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

SF Devlin, Dean

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

On July 2nd satellite communication all around the world is interrupted and fear grips the planet. A force of incredible magnitude has arrived, with the mission of eliminating all human life. Over the next three days the world will change forever. Developed into a major motion picture.

9:00 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

M Dexter, Colin

MORSE'S GREATEST MYSTERY AND OTHER STORIES.

Five ingenious cases for Morse, plus five other original tales.

5:32 hours.

Reader: Michael Lumsden

NF THE DHAMMAPADA: SAYINGS OF BUDDHA.

Statements of ethical and spiritual principles as guides in finding inner tranquillity. Written in the fifth century B.C., these teachings focus on "mastery and purification of the self, strength and sobriety of character, and the ultimate attainment of freedom and independence.

3:11 hours. Reader: Ed Blake

NF DIANA, 1961-1997: HER LIFE & LEGACY: CANADIANS REMEMBER THEIR PRINCESS.

This special edition of "MacLean's" magazine reviews the life and accomplishments of Diana, Princess of Wales, who was killed in an automobile accident in the summer of 1997.

4:00 hours.

Reader: Margaret Moore and Nonnie Elkins

F Dickens, Charles

CHRISTMAS BOOKS.

A collection of the five short novels which Dickens wrote for Christmas 1843 to 1848 (there was no Christmas book in 1847). Includes "A Christmas carol," "The chimes," "The cricket on the hearth," "The battle of life," and "The haunted man."

16:21 hours.

F Dickens, Charles

THE SIGNALMAN AND OTHER GHOST STORIES.

Charles Dickens would entertain and alarm guests at his soirces with his imaginary creations. This collection of stories, to be read at dusk in flickering firelight, brings together fifteen of his spine-chilling masterpieces.

10:32 hours.

Reader: Jon Cartwright

Reader: Peter Hart

F Didion, Joan

PLAY IT AS IT LAYS.

A discursive story set in late 1960s Hollywood about an actress whose immoderate lifestyle has alienated her from family and friends. She witnesses a friend's suicide and enters a mental hospital, where she recollects some of the formative events in her life. Strong language.

3:40 hours. Reader: Barbara Pinolini

M Diehl, William

As a defence attorney years before, Martin Vail saved the psychotic murderer Aaron Stampler from execution. Now a new murder victim has been found and all signs point to Stampler as the killer. But how could he have committed the new murder when he was locked away in a high security institution for the criminally insane? Vail must investigate.

14:20 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

F Due, Tananarive

THE BETWEEN: A NOVEL.

As a child, Hilton James was rescued from drowning by his grandmother, who perished to save him. Now a family man of almost forty, he begins to think his borrowed time is running out. Haunted by dreams of death and threatened by a psychotic who stalks his family, Hilton finds his grip on reality slipping. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

9:00 hours.

Reader: L. J. Ganser

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Dukthas, Ann

THE TIME OF MURDER AT MAYERLING, THE: A NICHOLAS SEGALLA TIME-TRAVEL MYSTERY

In 1889 Vienna, sleuth Segalla investigates the untimely deaths of Archduke Rudolph and his young mistress against a background of sinister political intrigue at the Hapsburg court. Was it a murder-suicide, or government-suppressed foul play? This puzzle has haunted historians since the terrible event.

6:30 hours.

Su Duncan, Patrick Sheane COURAGE UNDER FIRE

His army career stalled by a friendly fire incident in the Gulf War, Lieutenant Colonel Nat Serling is handed the job of finding out whether a female chopper pilot deserves the Medal of Honor. Serling sorts through conflicting evidence to uncover a truth that could destroy the woman's reputation but save his own career. Strong language and violence.

7:52 hours.

Reader: L. J. Ganser

F Dunne, Dominick

A SEASON IN PURGATORY.

This is a novel about power, courage and deceit. Through the main character, Harrison Burns, it explores a wealthy Catholic family's strong social and political aspirations, and a link to a sinister murder of an innocent girl, covered up for twenty years.

11:50 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Dyson, Freeman J.

INFINITE IN ALL DIRECTIONS: GIFFORD LECTURES GIVEN AT ABERDEEN, SCOTLAND, APRIL-NOVEMBER 1985.

In examining the diversity in science and life, the author explores our efforts to understand the nature of life and its place in the universe, as well as the problems introduced by our species into the existence of life on this planet.

10:59 hours.

Reader: Peter Hart

M Eddenden, A. E. MURDER AT THE MOVIES.

In the small Canadian city of Fort York in 1939, Inspector Albert V. Tretheway investigates a series of bizarre pranks. They begin innocently enough, but soon turn dangerous. Tretheway soon realizes that they are linked, and inspired by movies -- but which movie and what prank will be next?

4:18 hours.

Reader: Gina Clayton

F Eddings, David

DOMES OF FIRE.

Sparhawk and Ehlana travel to the Tamul emperor's court so they can help him defeat the ferocious Tamuli warriors who are bent on destruction. By doing so, they might also spare their own realm of Elenia. Book 1 in the "Tamuli" series. Followed by "The shining ones", and continuing the saga begun in "The Eleneum" series.

16:55 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

F Eddings, David

ENCHANTERS' END GAME.

With the crowning of Garion, there was a descendant of Riva Iron-grip to rule as Overlord of the West. But the Prophecy was unfulfilled. In the east, the evil God Torak was about to awaken and seek dominion. Somehow Garion had to face the God, to kill or be killed. Book 5, and conclusion to "The Belgariad" series.

11:40 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

F Eddings, David

THE SHINING ONES.

Sparhawk and his companions must keep Bhelliom, the stone of power, out of reach from the Shining Ones. They are the most feared monsters who terrorized Tamuli and would use the gem for their own diabolical ends. Book 2 of the "Tamuli" series. Preceded by "Domes of fire" and followed by "The hidden city".

16:25 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Edwards, Allen Jack

WHEN MEMORY FAILS: HELPING THE ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA PATIENT.

A gerontologist addresses dementia patients and their caregivers and families. Using language accessible to the layperson, Edwards provides background information including early warning signs and discusses diagnosis, causes, effects, and questions to ask a healthcare professional. He then examines the psychological and physical needs of patients and the impact of those needs on the caregiver.

12:00 hours.

Reader: Jeff Halbertstadt

M Edwards, Ruth Dudley

TEN LORDS A-LEAPING.

Academic and reluctant amateur detective Robert Amiss becomes entangled in the intrigue surrounding the murder of several members of the House of Lords. The killings have happened in the midst of an intimidation campaign by animal right activists, just as the Lords are set to veto a law banning fox hunts. By the author of "Clubbed to death."

6:50 hours.

Reader: Gillian Neumann

W Eidson, Tom THE LAST RIDE.

A western adventure tale of personal redemption and family reconciliation. As his final act, a dying Samuel Jones returns to make amends to Maggie, the daughter he abandoned some thirty years before. When renegade Apaches kidnap Maggie's daughter, Samuel and Maggie set out after the captors. Christian faith is pitted against Indian magic in the course of the perilous rescue mission.

10:52 hours.

Reader: Don Emmick

M Elkins, Aaron J.

OLD SCORES: A CHRIS NORGREN MYSTERY.

Chris Norgren, curator of the Seattle Art Museum, and Edmund Froger, a director a French museum, are offered paintings of questionable authenticity by gallery owner Rene Vachey. Some strong language.

9:00 hours.

Reader: Roy Avers

Reader: Cecelia Riddett

NF Elliott, Charles

PRINCESSE OF VERSAILLES: THE LIFE OF MARIE ADELAIDE OF SAVOY.

Elliot's account of Marie Adelaide of Savoy is interwoven with the story of life at the court of Louis XIV, the Sun King. Marie is only ten when she arrives at Versailles to marry the duc de Bourgogne, but her arrival brings life back into what has become a dying court. Marie is portrayed as having a keen wit and also as kind, thoughtful, intelligent and dignified.

19:37 hours.

F Ellis, Sarah BACK OF BEYOND.

A cold chill brushes your neck, even though the windows are closed. The unexplained happens to all of us -- just as it does to the characters in these twelve stories. Meet ordinary people as they catch a glimpse of a world they never knew existed. (Aimed at young adult readers.).

4:10 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

M Engel, Howard

MR. DOYLE & DR. BELL.

In 1879 Edinburgh, a diva and her lover are found murdered in her lodgings. Soon after, Alan Lambert is convicted for the murders, but doubts about his guilt remain. Dr. Joseph Bell, a celebrated professor of anatomy, and his young student, Arthur Conan Doyle, work to vindicate Lambert and restore justice.

6:09 hours.

Reader: Peter Hart

M Engel, Howard

THERE WAS AN OLD WOMAN.

Benny Cooperman gets embroiled in the investigation around the death of his janitor's girlfriend, Lizzie. Although she starved to death, she had not been destitute. Strangely, the money she did have is under the control of a politician running for mayor, and her tiny neglected home is the focus of a big property deal.

7:00 hours. Reader: Robert Adams

Su Erskine, Barbara MIDNIGHT IS A LONELY PLACE.

When she splits up with her lover, English biographer Kate Kennedy rents a remote seaside cottage to write in. Her landlord's daughter, Allison Lindsey, has discovered what she thinks is an ancient Roman grave on the beach, and Kate begins having auditory hallucinations associated with the long-dead. Odd happenings escalate until Kate and the Lindseys are fighting for their lives. Strong language, violence and some descriptions of sex.

20:00 hours.

Reader: Vanessa Maroney

F Fagan, Cary SLEEPING WEATHER

Despite his criminal past, Leon Stone has found his life blessed with good fortune -- a wife he loves, a daughter, a safe neighbourhood. But when he finds himself drawn toward Vasily, an alcoholic and self-declared failed immigrant, his past is brought to light and his new world is threatened. Some strong language.

4:33 hours.

Reader: Gord McLaughlin

Reader: Roy Avers

SF Farmer, Philip José DAYWORLD BREAKUP.

William Duncan discovers that, while it is now possible to discontinue the practice of living one day a week and spending the other six in suspended animation, the government is hiding the truth. Some strong language. Sequel to "Dayworld rebel."

9:30 hours.

NF Farrow, Mia

WHAT FALLS AWAY: A MEMOIR.

Farrow discusses her acting career, her marriages, and her large family of biological and adopted children. The second half of the book focuses on her long, troubled relationship with Woody Allen, which ended when she learned he was having an affair with one of her adopted daughters and possible molesting another. Some strong language.

11:00 hours.

Reader: Judith Ann Gantly

F Fast, Howard

AN INDEPENDENT WOMAN.

This continues the story of the Lavette family in the "Immigrants" saga. Barbara Lavette has become the family matriarch, and has recently married Philip Carter, after falling deeply in love. But upon her return from their honeymoon, she faces a test that is more challenging than anything in her past.

11:10 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

NF FAVOURITE SUMMER STORIES FROM FRONT PORCH & L.

Maitland, the well-known CBC broadcaster, has selected a group of entertaining stories related to summer and compiled them into this anthology. Included are short stories by W.O. Mitchell, Lucy Maud Montgomery, Oscar Wilde and others. This is ideal reading for any afternoon, no matter what season.

9:05 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

M Feinstein, John WINTER GAMES.

Rytis Buzelis, a Lithuanian-born basketball star, is wooed by college coaches across the country. When journalist Bobby Kelleher finds the body of an old friend and coach who had been vying to sign Buzelis, Kelleher ventures into the sinister world of big-money sports to find the killer.

7:45 hours.

Reader: Christopher Hurt

F Flaubert, Gustave

A SIMPLE HEART.

The story of a French housemaid in the mid-1800s who embraces life in spite of her harsh circumstances. With faith and an inner strength, she endures a wretched childhood, a failed love, the tragic death of a nephew, and the loss of her beloved pet bird. Her end is sad, yet dignified.

1:18 hours.

Reader: Laura Giannarelli

Su Follett, Ken

THE HAMMER OF EDEN.

After a terrorist threat of a manmade earthquake is broadcast, young FBI agent Judy Maddox is assigned to track down the elusive, sinister group called the Hammer of Eden. She is led to seismologist Michael Quercus. But Michael's wife is under the spell of a cult leader whose group has stolen key data which would enable them to start the quake.

14:25 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

F Foster, Cecil SLAMMIN' TAR.

At age 42, Johnny Franklin has journeyed from Barbados to Canada twenty-five times. Once more he joins old friends and new faces to work on an Ontario tobacco farm for 10 months in a migrant labour program, as they dream of staying in Canada one way or another. Strong language.

16:47 hours.

Reader: Al Pittis

M Fox, Norman A.

A FEATHERED SOMBRERO.

After being pardoned by the governor, former outlaw Rowdy Dow sees an advertisement addressed to him. A captain named Trimble wants to meet with Dow in Bearclaw, and he'll be wearing a feathered sombrero. Nearly there, Dow and his partner, Stumpy Grampis, help an injured Mexican, then glimpse a frightened woman in a window. When the woman and the Mexican mysteriously vanish, Dow suspects Captain Trimble. Some strong language and some violence.

7:03 hours.

Reader: Larry Shapiro

M Francis, Dick

10-LB. PENALTY.

George Juliard and his son Benedict have a pact that Ben will not do anything as a jockey that would cause his politically ambitious father any embarrassment or harm his reputation. George's political enemies are trying to discredit him through his son. Ben soon finds himself caught in a web of lies and treachery.

8:00 hours.

Reader: William Samples

NF Franken, Al

RUSH LIMBAUGH IS A BIG FAT IDIOT: AND OTHER OBSERVATIONS.

Best known as a writer and comic for television's Saturday Night Live, Franken takes a humorous look at the political right, beginning with talk radio host Rush Limbaugh and his audience of "fact-challenged dittoheads." Newt Gingrich, Pat Buchanan, and others are also targeted in what Franken calls "200-plus pages of...mean-spirited (yet accurate) bile." Strong language.

7:27 hours.

Reader: Lou Harpenau

F Fraser, George MacDonald

THE SHEIKH AND THE DUSTBIN.

This novel continues the comical chronicles of the hapless British Army private J. McAuslan who trips and lurches his way across North Africa and then through the wilds of Scotland. Part philosopher, part golf caddie, amongst other "specialties", McAuslan creates humorous catastrophe wherever he goes.

7:30 hours.

Reader: Roger Norman

HF Frazier, Charles COLD MOUNTAIN.

This fast-paced tale set mostly in the last weeks of the American Civil War tells of a soldier and his sweetheart and their efforts to reunite. Inman, the soldier, is wounded, and as he slowly walks away from the ravages of war he travels through a devastated land. He does meet his sweetheart, Ada, but their lives have been forever transformed.

15:30 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

R French, Marilyn MY SUMMER WITH GEORGE.

Hermoine Beldame is in her sixties and is the writer of eighty-seven romances. She is rich, sophisticated, often divorced, long widowed, and long finished with the notion of romantic love in her life. Then one day she sees an attractive man at a party. Their encounter begins a summer-long affair that defies Hermoine's assumptions about love.

7:05 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

F Gaines, Ernest J. A LESSON BEFORE DYING.

Bayonne, Louisiana, 1948. A young, naive black man has been sentenced to death for the murder of a white man -- a murder that he did not commit. His attorney argues that he is too stupid to plan a crime. "Why, I would just as soon put a hog in the electric chair..." Galled by this defence, Jefferson's godmother, Miss Emma, turns to Grant, the plantation schoolteacher, to teach Jefferson to die like a man. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

7:40 hours.

Reader: Christopher Hurt

Sp Gardner, John E. GOLDENEYE.

James Bond faces Janus, a ruthless Russian gang that has transcended ideology in favor of money and power. Now that Janus has acquired GoldenEye, a high-tech space system that can destroy the West's financial markets, its nefarious goal is within reach unless 007 can outwit it. Violence and descriptions of sex.

5:15 hours.

Reader: Graeme Malcolm

HF Garrett, George P THE KING OF BABYLON SHALL NOT COME AGAINST YOU.

Novel set in 1993. Reporter Billy Tone returns to Paradise Springs, Florida, to research crimes that took place there during the week that civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. was assassinated. The tale is told through the voices -- sometimes cynical -- of participants and witnesses. Strong language. violence, and descriptions of sex.

13:00 hours.

Reader: Christopher Walker

Su **Gavin, Thomas** BREATHING WATER.

Rising Sun is a town of honest, respectable citizens including millionairess Edna Kane. Nothing changes much from day to day, until illustrator and scam artist Everet Dusseau arrives in town, bringing with him a twelve-year-old boy he claims is the kidnapped grandson of Edna Kane. But is he the child taken years ago, or is this one of Dusseau's scams to make money? Strong language.

12:33 hours.

Reader: Christopher Walker

M George, Elizabeth DECEPTION ON HIS MIND

When a member of the small but growing Asian community of Balford-le-Nez is found dead, the sleepy English seaside town ignites. Sergeant Barbara Havers, working without her long-time partner, Detective Inspector Thomas Lynley, must find the killer before the price of deception becomes more than anyone can afford.

25:20 hours. Reader: Trish Grainge

M Gerritsen, Tess LIFE SUPPORT

Dr. Toby Harper is having a quiet night at the hospital until a patient with a strange viral infection is admitted and then disappears. Against the hospital's wishes, Toby sets out to find her patient. She discovers a terrifying scenario involving brain tissue implants and the search for the fountain of youth.

11:20 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

F Gibbons, Kaye ELLEN FOSTER.

A spunky eleven-year-old tells how she survives a miserable homelife with an ill, suicidal mother and a mean, alcoholic father. Her best friend Starletta (a black sharecropper's daughter), her love of reading, and her resourcefulness keep Ellen going. Eventually she needs a new home, and even that she has to find for herself.

3:43 hours. Reader: Mary Kane

R Gibbons, Kaye A VIRTUOUS WOMAN.

In alternating chapters, Jack and Ruby recount their lives and marriage. Coming from very different backgrounds, the couple nonetheless has a marriage that lasts twenty-five years until Ruby dies of lung cancer. Jack continues to miss her months after her death. Some strong language.

3:51 hours. Reader: Faith Potts

SF Gibson, William VIRTUAL LIGHT

The millennium has come and gone, leaving stunned survivors in the sister states of NoCal and SoCal in what used to be California. Chevette Washington is a bicycle courier turned pickpocket. He picks up an innocent-looking pair of sunglasses, but in fact these are high-tech specs that can make you rich -- or get you killed. Strong language.

11:48 hours.

Reader: Philip Smith

HF Gillespie, Donna

THE LIGHT BEARER.

Set in the regions around Rome during the reigns of emperors Claudius and Nero, this is an account of three young people whose lives are intertwined. Auriane receives an unusual prophecy and amulet at her birth and becomes a warrior seeking vengeance for her family. Marcus Julianus, a slave rescued by his father, earns respect in Rome; and Decius, a Roman soldier, teaches battle tactics to Auriane. Some violence and some descriptions of sex.

45:45 hours.

Reader: Mary Kane

M Gilman, Dorothy

MRS. POLLIFAX, INNOCENT TOURIST

A dissident Iraqi novelist is murdered in prison in his home country. Mrs. Pollifax embarks on a mission to smuggle out the final manuscript. Along the way she dodges wily pursuers and is forced to take on the persona of an innocent tourist.

5:45 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

Su Gilstrap, John NATHAN'S RUN.

Nathan, an orphaned and abused twelve-year-old, is sentenced to a detention centre, where he kills a guard in self-defence. Nathan escapes and is relentlessly pursued by police, as well as hit man. While on the lam, the boy finds unlikely allies in a conservative talk-show host and a cop. Strong language.

10:40 hours.

Reader: John Stratton

Su Goddard, Robert

CAUGHT IN THE LIGHT.

Photographer Ian Jarrett meets a mysterious woman in Vienna. They fall in love and plan to leave their respective spouses. Ian leaves his family but "Marion" does not. He learns that Marion is not her real name and she claims to be a reincarnation of the woman who discovered photography. Ian and his family are drawn into a deadly web of deceit.

12:25 hours.

Reader: William Samples

HF Golden, Arthur

MEMOIRS OF A GEISHA: A NOVEL.

In this novel, Nitta Sayuri's story begins in 1929 when she is taken from her home and apprenticed to a renowned geisha house. In the decadent heart of Kyoto, Sayuri must learn the arts of dancing, music and beguiling powerful men, at whatever cost. But as WW II erupts and the geisha houses are closed, she struggles to make a new life.

17:20 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

F Goldman, Francisco THE ORDINARY SEAMAN.

Fifteen Nicaraguan men are recruited to crew the damaged cargo ship "Urus", moored at a Brooklyn pier. They soon realize that they have been abandoned there without money or legal status. One of the men, who ventures into the city seeking help for his comrades, finds both love and tragedy. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

15:29 hours.

Reader: David Hartley-Margolin

F Goldstein, Lisa

WALKING THE LABYRINTH.

Molly Travers discovers she is the descendant of a family of vaudeville magicians, who in the 19th century performed real magic with a group of occultists known as the Order of the Labyrinth. While searching for information about her family, Molly enters the labyrinth built to her grandmother's specifications, and everything in her life changes.

8:30 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

NF Gonzalez, Philip

THE DOG WHO RESCUES CATS: THE TRUE STORY OF GINNY.

After a disabling accident, Gonzalez had lost interest in living - until a friend suggested that he adopt a dog. Ginny, the abused pup that Gonzalez found at a shelter, was no ordinary dog, but one with a penchant for rescuing abandoned cats. With Ginny, Gonzalez has aided scores of injured felines and found a new sense of purpose in life.

4:00 hours.

Reader: Gregory Gorton

NF Gordon, Anita

IT'S A MATTER OF SURVIVAL.

Anita Gordon and David Suzuki describe the signs of environmental crisis and put forward an argument against the disposable and consuming lifestyle that killing the fragile natural systems on which human life depends.

8:45 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

W Gordon, Dan

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WYATT EARP.

In the 1880's, Wyatt Earp and his brothers were pioneers, heading to the American frontier to make their fortunes. Somewhere along the way, life changed them, and Wyatt, a lawman who had earned respect, became a man who inspired fear and hatred.

8:13 hours.

Reader: Garrick Hagon

SF Gotlieb, Phyllis

FLESH AND GOLD

A telepathic alien judge, lonely and far from her home planet, sees an amphibious human enslaved and displayed in a tank as an ad for a pleasure house. When she begins to investigate, she follows a trail of murder, slavery, science, and justice. Some strong language.

9:45 hours.

Reader: Desmond Scott

NF Gottfried, Martin

GEORGE BURNS AND THE HUNDRED YEAR DASH.

This is an intimate and fascinating look at the long life of one of the century's most beloved actors and comedians.

8:50 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

NF Gottfried, Martin

NOBODY'S FOOL: THE LIVES OF DANNY KAYE.

This is the fascinating story of an energetic, athletic, curious kid from Brooklyn who became an utterly original star, parleying his multiple talents into a career as one of the most popular and adored entertainers in American history.

12:15 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

M Gough, Laurence KARAOKE RAP.

Ozzie thinks he's planned the perfect crime -- kidnap a wealthy stock promoter for a \$5 million ransom. Unfortunately, Ozzie doesn't know that mobster Jake Cappalletti also has an interest in the promoter. And Vancouver police detectives have an interest in both of them. Strong language and descriptions of violence.

10:55 hours.

Reader: Sondra Bolton

M Grafton, Sue

N IS FOR NOOSE.

Kinsey Millhone probes the sources of stress that killed a deputy sheriff, and discovers one of his colleagues is a suspect in a double homicide.

9:30 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

M Graham, Caroline

WRITTEN IN BLOOD.

The eccentrics in a writer's group are pleased to get author Max Jennings as a guest speaker -- except for the reclusive host, who begs not to be left alone with him. As everyone is leaving, Jennings rushes back inside and bars the door. Strong language and some descriptions of sex.

13:52 hours.

Reader: David Hartley-Margolin

NF Granatstein, J. L. WHO KILLED CANADIAN HISTORY?

Canadian historian Granatstein writes of his concern that Canadian students are no longer taught Canadian history. Unlike older countries which understand the importance of history, he argues that Canadian schools, universities, and education policy makers have allowed Canadian history to be dropped in favour of trendy subjects or "dumbed down" in basic textbooks.

4:42 hours.

Reader: Mike Morrison

M Grant, Michael RETRIBUTION.

Rogue cop Michael Devlin quits the NYPD for a "plum" job as security director at a New York City office tower. He soon discovers that a killer is targeting company executives, the building is subject to sabotage, and he must match wits with a world-class assassin. Strong language and violence.

10:18 hours.

Reader: L. J. Ganser

Reader: Harold Roberts

NF Grant, Robert S.

BUSH FLYING: THE ROMANCE OF THE NORTH.

This book offers a kaleidoscope of Canadian aviation stories. Grant takes the reader from coast to coast with adventures in the High Arctic, to near misses in western mountain ranges. He describes the life behind the controls of a bush plane as hard and sometimes dangerous work, that also has its glamorous moments.

9:20 hours.

F GREAT GOLF STORIES

Anthology of golf stories revealing human nature and its most sublime an absurd. Authors include E. C. Bentley, P. G. Wodehouse, Stephen Leacock, George MacDonald Fraser, "Sapper," and A. A. Milne.

9:02 hours. Reader: Andrew Cuthbert

R Greeley, Andrew M. SUMMER AT THE LAKE.

The lives of three friends change in the Summer of 1948 when, during their usual vacation at a lake, two other friends are killed in an auto accident. Thirty years later they gather again at the lake, but it is an unsettling reunion. There had been a cover-up and a vicious scandal after the car accident that haunt them still.

13:20 hours. Reader: Robert Adams

F Greenberg, Joanne NO RECK'NING MADE.

When her mother dies, Clara knows that she must find a way to stay in school to overcome poverty and the stigma of being from the gulch. She earns a teaching certificate and is hired by Gold Flume, a mining town much like her home. Clara works hard to create a haven where children can learn and gain self-respect. After decades of success, Clara faces a fight for her job when wealthy and demanding outsiders move to the area. Some descriptions of sex.

10:35 hours. Reader: Ardyth Heller

HF Gregory, Philippa A RESPECTABLE TRADE.

Set in Bristol, England in 1787. While helping her husband's growing business as a trader, Frances Cole trains African slaves to become British house-servants. Through this work she meets Mehuru, a priest from the African kingdom of Yoruba. They begin a game of passion and love that has disturbing consequences.

17:10 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

W Grey, Zane

RANGERS OF THE LONE STAR: A WESTERN STORY.

As a town in the wild west, Fairdale, Texas is a crossroads of crime. But the mayor doesn't want interference from the Texas Rangers in his domain. He can't predict that his daughter will fall in love with one of the rangers, and risk exposing his own ties to bands of rustlers.

9:05 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

M Grimes, Martha

THE CASE HAS ALTERED.

While Melrose Plant impersonates an antiques expert, Richard Jury investigates the scene of the baffling double murder in the Lincolnshire fens, after the bodies of two local women turn up, and Jury's close friend becomes the prime suspect.

12:30 hours.

Reader: William Samples

HF Gulland, Sandra

TALES OF PASSION, TALES OF WOE.

Josephine awakens to the reality of her recent marriage to "The Corsican," Napoleon Bonaparte. Through her diary entries and Napoleon's love letters, Josephine follows Napoleon through palaces and battlefields on his march to power. Some descriptions of sex and violence.

13:17 hours.

Reader: Ann Saunders

F Guterson, David

SNOW FALLING ON CEDARS.

Set on an island in Puget Sound shortly after World War II. Carl Heine has drowned, and Kabuo Miyamoto, a fellow fisherman, is charged with Heine's murder. Covering the trial for the local newspaper is Ishmael Chambers, who was the first love of Hatsue, the defendants's wife. As the trial gets under way, the courtroom and the entire community are tense with suspicion and prejudice. Strong language and some descriptions of sex.

15:14 hours.

Reader: Geoffrey Pierpoint

NF Gzowski, Peter

THE MORNINGSIDE YEARS.

Gzowski presents the most memorable items from his radio program, "Morningside." The selections include interviews with prominent authors, the revisit of Louis Riel's trials, the fifteen best letters to the program, and Gzowski's own reflections on what "Morningside" was and what it meant to him.

16:53 hours.

Reader: Mike Peleschak

F Hall, Barbara A BETTER PLACE.

As a girl, Valerie Caldwell was the belle of every ball in Maddock, Virginia. Now, after fourteen years as an aspiring movie star in Los Angeles, she returns home, hoping to recapture the joys of her youth. But things there have changed, and Valerie's return disrupts and alters the lives of her family and friends. Strong language.

10 hours.

Reader: Mimi Bederman

F Hall, Brian

THE SASKIAD.

The coming-of-age tale of Saskia, twelve, who ekes out a living with her mother on a run-down commune in Ithaca, New York. When the imaginative Saskia and her friend Jane set out to visit Saskia's charismatic father, they discover the harsh reality of adulthood and personal disappointment. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

14:29 hours.

Reader: Martha Harmon Pardee

F Hamilton, Dakota

FREEDOM'S JUST ANOTHER WORD.

Maggie swears that her husband shot himself, but she still ends up doing time in maximum security. Desperate to get out, she and some friends decide to escape -- and they do. Their flight to freedom becomes part road trip, part love affair, part healing ritual, and changes the lives of each forever. Strong language.

9:11 hours.

Reader: Ann Saunders

NF Hancock, Graham

THE MESSAGE OF THE SPHINX : A QUEST FOR THE HIDDEN LEGACY OF MANKIND

Geology and archeo-astronomy have indicated that the lion-bodied Sphinx may be vastly older than Egyptologists believe, perhaps dating from 10500 B.C. Using computer simulations of ancient skies, the authors unravel the riddle of the Sphinx and present a startling new theory concerning the enigmatic Pyramid Texts and other Egyptian scriptures.

11:45 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Harr, Jonathan A CIVIL ACTION.

Written like a novel, this true account of a liability lawsuit focuses on the plaintiffs' attorney. Parents whose children died of leukemia retained Jan Schlichtmann, described here as flamboyant, bankrupt, and tenacious. Schlictmann spent nine years tracking the cause of the illness to bring suit against two giant corporations. Describes how justice became secondary to the legal battle. Strong language.

19:53 hours.

Reader: Robert Sams

Reader: Robin Miles

F Harris, E. Lynn

IF THIS WORLD WERE MINE: A NOVEL.

Four black graduates from Hampton Institute continue their friendship through monthly meetings of a journal-keeping support group. For almost twenty years, Yolanda, Dwight, Leland, and Riley help each other through marriage, love, sexual identity, and work crisis until the group is strained to the breaking point. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

11:35 hours.

NF Harris, Michael

LAMENT FOR AN OCEAN: THE COLLAPSE OF THE ATLANTIC COD FISHERY: A TRUE CRIME STORY.

Harris investigates the destruction of one of Canada's most important natural resources -- the cod stocks of the Atlantic Ocean. He examines the effects of overfishing, domestic and international politics, and even nature itself, in the form of harp seals and ocean temperatures.

12:31 hours.

Reader: Peter Miller

Su Harris, Robert ARCHANGEL.

Fluke Kelso is in Moscow to attend a conference on the Soviet archives. He is visited by a man claiming to have information on a book, stolen on the night that Stalin had a fatal stroke. What starts as an idle enquiry in the Lenin Library becomes a murderous chase across Russia to archangel where Stalin's final secret is hidden.

12:25 hours.

Reader: William Samples

HF Harris, Robert ENIGMA.

During W.W. 2, thousands of lives depended on the Allies breaking the Nazi's Enigma Code. When Tom Jericho's ex-girlfriend vanishes, she is suspected of being a German mole, throwing suspicion onto Tom and placing the decryption project in jeopardy.

11:55 hours.

Reader: William Samples

M Harrod-Eagles, Cynthia GRAVE MUSIC: AN INSPECTOR BILL SLIDER MYSTERY.

The murder of the pompous conductor of the Royal London Philharmonic presents many possible suspects for Inspector Bill Slider. The investigation also brings Slider's lost love, Joanna, back into his life. An ever-twisting plot with wry British humour. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

7:48 hours.

Reader: Anne Flosnik

M Healy, J. F.

INVASION OF PRIVACY: A JOHN FRANCIS CUDDY MYSTERY.

Boston P.I. John Cuddy is hired by Russian immigrant banker Olga Evorova to investigate her boyfriend, Andrew Dees. Although she loves Dees, she is concerned because he won't discuss his past and may just be after her money. Cuddy's interrogation of Dee's neighbours has unexpected results. Strong language, some violence and some descriptions of sex.

9:11 hours.

Reader: Nick Sullivan

M Healy, J. F.

YESTERDAY'S NEWS

Newspaperwoman Jane Rust hires Boston private eye John Cuddy to investigate the murder of one of her informants. The next night Jane's body is found in her apartment. Her death is considered a suicide and soon becomes "yesterday's news." But Cuddy is convinced there is more to it. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

6:11 hours.

Reader: Nick Sullivan

F Hébert, Anne THE FIRST GARDEN.

Translated from the original French edition, this novel centres on Flora Fontages, a famous Parisian actress whose return to Canada is sparked by the disappearance of her estranged daughter. While the search goes on, Flora must continue to act, but this period in her life turns into a confrontation of all the real-life roles she has ever played.

4:50 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

F Heller, Jane

INFERNAL AFFAIRS

The night her husband leaves her, overweight, graying, real estate agent Barbara Chessner unknowingly makes a deal with the devil. The next morning she wakes up blond and shapely, and she even makes an impossible sale to a gorgeous man. But when Barbara learns she's a darksider, she wants her old life back. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

11:30 hours.

Reader: Annie Wauters

R Heller, Jane

PRINCESS CHARMING.

An upscale cruise ship is the setting for this combination romance and murder mystery thriller. Three women friends who have vacationed together for years find themselves in the middle of intrigue when during a cruise, one of them meets "Mr. Right". Trouble is, his connections with murder plans are more than she can handle.

10:10 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

NF Henry, Tom

THE IDEAL DOG AND OTHER DELUSIONS.

This book contains 53 hilarious works from Tom Henry, B.C.'s writer/broadcaster of CBC radio's "Country Life" column. Ever wonder how to discipline an unruly chicken? How to predict rain by studying a spitting clam? How to tell a real farmer from a pretend one? The author reveals all.

4:00 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

W Henry, Will

THE BEAR PAW HORSES.

Crazy Horse of the Oglala Sioux makes a dying request that his people locate a secret herd of four hundred horses. Con Jenkins, a cunning outlaw, joins an elderly medicine man and a white-hating Indian girl in a desperate effort to recover the hidden herd and save the Sioux people. Violence.

9:22 hours.

Reader: John Polk

HF Henry, Will

THE CROSSING.,

Lieutenant Jud Reeves, a well-bred grandson of southern generals, joins the Confederate campaign to secure the southwestern territory in 1861. He encounters an embattled frontier contested by Union soldiers and Apaches avenging their stolen homelands. Violence.

10:23 hours. Reader: John Polk

M Hess, Joan

MADNESS IN MAGGODY.

Police Chief Arly Hanks investigates the strange goings on when 23 people are injured at the grand opening of a superstore which may cause several small businesses to close. Further disaster occurs when certain store products are tampered with. The worst is that the person with a prime motive to sabotage the store is her own mom.

7:10 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

F Hesse, Hermann

THE FAIRY TALES OF HERMANN HESSE.

Twenty-two tales, written between 1904 and 1918, in which Hesse seeks to contend with what he sees as "the sinister threat of science and commercialism," and which mirror events in Hesse's life. Some stories explore the ironies of romantic failure and artistic success, and others reflect changes within society.

8:21 hours.

Reader: Conrad Feininger

Su Higgins, Jack

DRINK WITH THE DEVIL.

An adventure-suspense story finds former I.R.A. terrorist Sean Dillon now working for the British as a secret agent. Ten years ago he was involved in an ill-fated plot to steal gold bullion and ship it to Ulster. Somehow the gold went missing. Now he plays a dangerous cat and mouse game in a race against time and the Mafia, to recover it.

6:25 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

Su **Higgins, Jack**ON DANGEROUS GROUND.

London, 1993, and the day nears when communist China will take possession of Hong Kong. British Intelligence have just discovered the existence of a document, the Chungking Covenant, which would extend the lease of Hong Kong for another century. Sean Dillon, once a feared IRA enforcer who now works for the British, must find the document before Mafia interests can use it to protect their own Hong Kong investments.

9:49 hours.

Reader: George Hagan

M Highsmith, Patricia

THE TALENTED MR. RIPLEY

Tom Ripley is sent to Italy with a commission to coax Dickie Greenleaf back to his wealthy father. But Ripley finds himself very fond of this prodigal young American. He wants to be like him -- exactly like him. Suave, agreeable, and utterly amoral, Ripley stops at nothing to accomplish his goal.

11:23 hours.

Reader: Philip Smith

R Hill, Grace Livingston

ARIEL CUSTER.

When her grandmother dies, Ariel Custer of Virginia must face the world alone with God. She travels north to a promised job as a librarian's apprentice but finds the job has been filled. Ariel is rescued by Jud Granniss, who helps her get settled. Although Jud is drawn to gentle Ariel, his harsh overbearing mother strongly disapproves, wanting Jud to marry a popular girl instead.

7:18 hours.

Reader: Sharon Lauve Komorn

R Hill, Grace Livingston HAPPINESS HILL.

Jane Arleth is taking a much-needed vacation and one that her family has encouraged. Jane is having a wonderful time and has met a nice man. Then, with one week left, she suddenly finds herself headed home after getting a letter from her younger sister. Jane's world at home is in trouble.

9:00 hours.

Reader: Suzanne Toren

R Hill, Grace Livingston

THE STRANGE PROPOSAL.

John Saxon takes time off from his medical studies to be best man for Jeff Wainwright's wedding. During the ceremony, John falls in love at first sight with the maid of honor, whom he has been told is Helen Foster a good Christian woman. He blurts out a proposal to her before leaving. Once on the train, John looks at the card she gave him and realizes there had been a substitution: the girl he fell for is Jeff's cousin, heiress Mary Elizabeth Wainwright.

8:37 hours.

Reader: Jeanne Evans

R Hill, Pamela

PLACE OF RAVENS

Set in 17th century England, this story centres on young Clemency Holles, who has been married by arrangement to the owner of a grand estate called Ravensyard. Her husband is impotent in every way, and rival cousins aim to steal the estate for themselves. Clemency struggles against the rivals with the help of a man who wins her heart.

6:55 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

M Hoag, Tami

A THIN DARK LINE.

When a murder prosecution is vitiated by an officer's failure to list key evidence on a search warrant, an irate detective decides to take the law into his own hands. Deputy Annie Broussard joins forces with the rogue detective in tracking the elusive killer. Strong language, violence, and descriptions of sex.

19:20 hours.

Reader: Mitzi Friedlander

F Hobbie, Douglas

THE DAY.

The day is Thanksgiving 1991, and Jack and Gwen Fletcher are spending the holiday with her smug, wealthy New England family. Jack seems to be the only one to recollect the suicide of Gwen's sister -- Jack's soul mate -- just one year earlier. The day's events unfold to reveal a tragic family portrait. Strong language.

8:35 hours.

Reader: Mary Kane

Su Hoff, B. J.,

THE WINDS OF GRAYSTONE MANOR.

Haunted by the death of his wife and their unborn child, Civil War photographer Roman St. Clare has come to Staten Island in 1867 to search for her killer. He is staying at Graystone Manor, owned by the charming Amanda Fairchild. Amanda is suspicious of Roman because of several incidents on the island, but she eventually joins him in his struggle between good and evil.

10:45 hours.

Reader: Annie Wauters

NF Hoffer, William FREFALL

On July 23, 1983, Captain Bob Pearson entered the cockpit of one of the most sophisticated airliners in the world. After a routine take-off and stopover, Flight 143 proceeded normally. Then without warning, at 41,000 feet, one of the engines failed. Seconds later the crew realized that the other engine had also cut out and all electrical power had been terminated.

7:46 hours.

Reader: Errol MacKinnon

W Hogan, Ray

SOLDIER IN BUCKSKIN: A WESTERN STORY.

This is a biographical novel about the American frontiersman and fur trapper, Kit Carson. It focuses on his life from 1831 to 1848, when he married an Arapaho woman and had a daughter. After his wife's death, he met Josepha Jamarillo who introduced him to the Spanish and Mexican society of the Southwest.

8:10 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

HF Holland, Cecelia JERUSALEM.

This is the story of King Bandouin and his sister and heir Sybillia, in the last years of the Crusader kingdom of Jerusalem. The year is 1187. Seen through the eyes of veteran knight Rannulf Fitzwilliam, it is a portrait of the Christians and Moslems on both sides of a conflict for control over the city.

11:35 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Holmes, K. J.

THE HISTORY OF THE CANADIAN MILITARY ENGINEERS :VOLUME III, TO

This volume continues the detailed chronicling of military engineering in Canada, taking into account the organizational changes that occurred in the armed forces up to 1971, including unification of the navy, army and air force in 1968. It is a sequel to "The history of the Corps of Royal Canadian Engineers" by A. J. Kerry and W.A. McDill.

18:50 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

F Holz, Cynthia

THE OTHER SIDE.

Holly is devastated when her gay roommate, Marc, commits suicide. She is even more surprised when Marc's ghost takes up residence in their kitchen. As Holly contends with her married lover and aging father, she is catapulted into a confrontation with her personal ghosts. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

7:24 hours.

Reader: Harriet Millstone

R Howard, Stephanie

THE BEST FOR LAST.

Cassandra knew that Damon Grey thought she was heartless. After all, hadn't she left him to pursue her career? But Damon didn't know that her real reasons had been very different...and she was determined he wouldn't discover them now! In her diary, she recounts their steamy times together.

4:35 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

F Hughes, Glyn THE ANTIOUE COLLECTOR.

Turn-of-the-century northern England is the setting for this portrait of ambivalent sexuality. Jack has been the kept transvestite "mistress" of two wealthy elderly men for twenty years. After one of them dies, Jack writes his account of who he is and what happened between him and his lovers. A searingly incisive view of society and women's roles.

12:25 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

Su **Hughes, Matt** DOWNSHIFT.

Hollywood yanked the rug out from under Sid Rafferty's screenwriting career, and he's back scrambling for work as a freelance writer. But when he signs on to script a stock proposal for Lennie "The Weasel" Geisel, he soon gets mixed up with dead bodies, explosions, the Mob, and a lot of hot money -- and a plot to depose the premier of British Columbia. Some strong language.

6:45 hours.

Reader: Al Pittis

W Hunter, Ed DOUBLE D SHOWDOWN.

With the local sheriff murdered and his deputies scared off, it wasn't difficult to realize why the small-time ranchers were selling out to Dan Dawson, the new owner of the Double D Ranch. Until, that is, Zach pinned on the tin star and recruited his own deputies.

3:28 hours.

Reader: Jon Cartwright

NF Ignatieff, Michael

THE WARRIOR'S HONOR: ETHNIC WAR AND THE MODERN CONSCIENCE.

Ignatieff examines two sides of the nature of modern warfare -- the ethnic warriors who speak the language of tribal and national loyalties; and the "liberal interventionist," such as aid workers, diplomats, and peacekeepers, who speak the universalist language of human rights.

6:22 hours.

Reader: Christopher Thomas

F Irving, John

A WIDOW FOR ONE YEAR.

Three seasons in the lives of writer Ruth Cole and family. Ruth is only four in 1958, when she and her mother spend the summer in Long Island. In 1990, Ruth is an unmarried woman whose personal life is not quite as successful as her literary career. And in 1995, Ruth, now a widow and a mother, is about to fall in love for the first time. Strong language, some violence, and descriptions of sex.

23:42 hours.

Reader: Mike Morrison

F Isaacs, Susan

LILY WHITE: A NOVEL.

Attorney Lily White (known as Lee) is defending a charming con man who moves from town to town seducing middle-aged women out of their money, and who is now accused of murdering his latest mark. In alternate passages, Lee reviews the shabby treatment in her own personal life. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

19:44 hours.

Reader: Barbara Pinolini

M James, Donald MONSTRUM

It is 2015 and Russia has survived a catastrophic civil war. Murmansk detective Constantine Vadim is dispatched to Moscow to track down a brutal serial killer targeting young women. Complicating his investigation is a conspiracy of politics and lies involving his former wife Julia, a leader of the opposition forces during the war.

14:40 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Jardine, Hazel

SELECTED PIECES OF HAZEL'S WORLD.

A selection of humorous pieces drawn from the author's experiences as a mother, wife, activist, and community organizer.

2:22 hours.

Reader: Margaret Duff

NF Jenkins, Peter

CLOSE FRIENDS.

The author of "A walk across America" describes his lifelong encounter with animals, capturing the personalities of his animal friends in many places and situations around the world.

8:25 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Jensen, Claus

NO DOWNLINK: A DRAMATIC NARRATIVE ABOUT THE CHALLENGER ACCIDENT AND OUR TIME.

An overview of the American space program leading up the fatal launch of space shuttle Challenger in 1986. Jensen sees the accident as a symbol of adverse forces in bureaucracies and corporations that undermine personal judgment and integrity.

16:15 hours.

Reader: Butch Hoover

NF Jensen, Margaret T. FIRST WE HAVE COFFEE.

This is a collection of warm stories about the author's life as the daughter of a Scandinavian immigrant pastor in the Canadian North and the USA. They touch readers' hearts with timeless lessons on unwavering religious faith and a closely-knit family life.

4:50 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

M Johansen, Iris THE UGLY DUCKLING.

Mousy, plain-faced Nell Calder is attending a party on a Greek island when her husband and daughter are killed and she is badly mutilated. But why? Nicholas Tanek investigates as Nell emerges with a gorgeous new face and a new reason to live -- revenge. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex.

11:45 hours.

Reader: Barbara Pinolini

M Jong, Erica INVENTING MEMORY.

In the year 2005 Sara, a historian, documents her Jewish roots. Beginning with her great-grandmother Sarah, who fled Russia in 1905, four generations of women tell their stories. As each daughter breaks free to make her own mistakes, her mother's love remains constant. Explicit descriptions of sex and some strong language.

11:00 hours.

Reader: Lindsay Ellison

NF Junger, Sebastian

THE PERFECT STORM.

Recounts the 1991 loss at sea of the New England fishing boat "Andrea Gail" in the "perfect storm" that resulted from the explosive convergence of several high-energy weather fronts. Depicts a fisherman's harsh life and gives a likely account of the vessel's final hour before sinking. Vividly portrays failed rescue efforts and people drowning.

6:35 hours.

Reader: Bill Wallace

NF Katselas, Milton

DREAMS INTO ACTION: GETTING WHAT YOU WANT!

Discusses strategies for confronting one's limitations and psychological blocks. Topics in this self-help manual of empowerment and personal transformation include the consequences of inaction, the nature of blame, and the relationship between loving and giving.

3:56 hours.

Reader: Christopher Walker

NF Kavanagh, P. J

VOICES IN IRELAND: A TRAVELLER'S LITERARY COMPANION.

A literary tour of Ireland with a focus on its history and legends. Reveals the unique language and culture that evolved on the uninvaded island, so alien to Romanized Europe.

17:20 hours.

Reader: Terry Donnelly

NF Kawatski, Deanna

CLARA AND ME.

Deanna Kawatski's journey from loneliness to companionship with a mentally challenged neighbour in the British Columbia wilderness is the delightful and poignant focus of this true story of an evolving friendship.

6:00 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

NF Kawatski, Deanna

WILDERNESS MOTHER.

In 1978 the author began a job as the first female fire tower attendant in B.C., in the remote Ningunsaw Valley. In this setting she met her woodsman husband and brought up two children. This is an inspiring story of living life to the fullest in the challenging B.C. northwest.

7:45 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

M Keating, H. R. F

THE GOOD DETECTIVE: A MYSTERY.

An old case returns to haunt Assistant Chief Constable Ned French. Heather Jones, forced into a false confession for murder, has served 15 years of her 20-year sentence, but now someone else has confessed and a citizen's rights campaigner is on Heather's case.

5:48 hours. Reader: John Davitt

NF Keats, John

THE COMPLETE POEMS OF JOHN KEATS.

Collected works of the quintessential Romantic poet, who died of tuberculosis in 1821 at age twenty-six. Includes poems such as "Ode on a Grecian Urn," "La Belle Dame sans Merci," and "The Eve of St. Agnes," along with the allegorical romance "Endymion" and the five-act poetic tragedy "Otho the Great."

17:14 hours.

Reader: George Holmes

NF Keller, Helen

LIGHT IN MY DARKNESS.

Editor Ray Silverman revised and enlarged this edition of "My religion". Keller describes the influence that the writings of Emanuel Swedenborg had on her life from the age of sixteen. Keller wrote some of the passages as early as 1903. The original work was published in 1927 and later revised in 1960.

4:30 hours.

Reader: Catherine Byers

NF Kellerman, Faye

JUSTICE.

The brutal murder of a prom queen raises detective Peter Decker's fears for the safety of his own daughter. Although he can make a solid case against the cold-eyed nephew of a mobster, the package is too neat. Disturbing questions remain unanswered. Strong language, violence, and explicit descriptions of sex.

14:00 hours.

Reader: Richard Davidson

M Kellerman, Faye PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD.

When renowned Dr. Azor Sparks is found brutally murdered in an alley, LAPD detective Peter Decker gets the case. Decker's probe reveals that Spark's secret life belied his upright image and made him some powerful and dangerous enemies. The trail of clues leads to Decker's own family. Strong language and violence.

13:45 hours.

Reader: Richard Davidson

M Kellerman, Jonathan THE CLINIC.

The police have found no clues to the murder of Hope Devane, a psychology professor and controversial author. Detective Milo Sturgis turns to his psychologist friend. Alex Delaware, for insights. As he unlocks private parts of the professor's life, including work for a shadowy clinic, he uncovers complexity and betrayal.

11:10 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Kelley, Kitty THE ROYALS.

The controversial biographer draws on more than one thousand face-to-face interviews to present a revealing, and often shocking biography of Britain's embattled House of Windsor. She reports on scandalous behaviour, but at times concedes respect for the hard work and dedication of the Royal family.

21:05 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

M Kelly, Nora BAD CHEMISTRY.

Gillian Adams looks forward to a summer at Cambridge University, especially to a reunion with her lover Edward Gisborne. However, when a brilliant scientist, the only woman on the chemistry staff is found dead, Gillian finds herself involved, helping Gisborne investigate.

8:50 hours.

Reader: Gillian Neumann

F Kelman, James

HOW LATE IT WAS, HOW LATE.

A Glaswegian ex-convict awakens in police custody after a two-day drinking bout to find that he has gone completely blind. The novel follows his thoughts over the next few days, and charts his attempts to get a grip on his situation and figure out what to do next. Strong language. Winner of the 1994 Booker Prize.

13:03 hours.

Reader: Jonathan Hackett

W Kelton, Elmer

THE PUMPKIN ROLLERS.

A young farmboy from Texas comes of age and learns about life on the range in the American West when he joins a cattle drive to Kansas. His adventures along the way include a clash with an infamous outlaw, marauding Comanches and discovering romance for the first time.

8:10 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

HF Kent, Alexander CROSS OF ST. GEORGE.

Set in 1813, this continues the "Bolitho" series. Royal Navy admiral Sir Richard Bolitho returns to Halifax to pursue the sea war with the young United States. Although he personally desires peace, the admiral is caught up in a war that neither Britain nor the United States can afford to lose. Number 23 in the series.

9:30 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

HF Kent, Alexander WITH ALL DESPATCH

It is 1792. Britain is temporarily at peace, and captain Richard Bolitho is looking for an assignment. He is given three small topsail cutters and sets out to enlist former navy men who have turned to smuggling. With his band of sailors, he challenges cut-throat freetraders who have taken control of the Channel. Follows "Passage to mutiny."

10:35 hours.

Reader: Roger Norman

Reader: Pat Barlow

HF Keyes, Frances Parkinson THE SAFE BRIDGE.

This work of historical fiction follows the path of a Scottish man and his daughter as they try to start a new life in the New England town of Ryegate. Their arrival, just after the American Revolution of 1776, means that their hopes and dreams are threatened by the failed glory of their Scottish predecessors.

11:15 hours.

F Khashoggi, Soheir MIRAGE.

In this novel, Almira, a young well-educated woman from a powerful Saudi Arabian family escapes with her baby to start a new life in the United States. This story reveals the oppressive control that a wealthy husband has over his wife and family in Saudi Arabian Society.

17:05 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

F King, Laurie R.

A MONSTROUS REGIMENT OF WOMEN

Detective Mary Russell is in London when she happens upon her friend Veronica, who has joined a feminist religious temple that attracts wealthy young women, some of whom meet untimely ends. Mary goes underground on the case and finds more danger than she expected. Sequel to "The beekeeper's apprentice."

11:00 hours.

Reader: Carmella Ross

F Kingsolver, Barbara

THE BEAN TREES.

Taylor Greer embarks on an adventure that takes her from rural Kentucky to Tucson. Along the way she "inherits" a 3-year-old American Indian girl named Turtle. Her travels end when she stops at a place called Jesus is Lord Used Tires, which is also a sanctuary for Central American refugees. There she finds both friendship and abandonment.

8:10 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

HF Kinsolving, William

MISTER CHRISTIAN: NOVEL.

In this take on the HMS Bounty, mutineer Fletcher Christian is captured by pirates, then escapes and rescues a woman with whom he finds love on a deserted island. Christian makes his way back to England where he changes his identity, returns to sea, and eventually reencounters the vengeful Bligh. Violence and descriptions of sex.

11:30 hours.

Reader: Graeme Malcolm

R Knoll, Patricia

CLANTON'S WOMAN.

This racy romance is set in modern-day Tombstone, Arizona, where Wyatt Earp had faced down the notorious Clanton gang. Now, there is a "showdown" between Mallory Earp and Jack Clanton, whose kisses are as lethal as his six-shooter.

4:40 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

Reader: Lou Harpenau

NF Koppel, Ted

NIGHTLINE: HISTORY IN THE MAKING AND THE MAKING OF TELEVISION.

Koppel, host of the television show Nightline, and Gibson, a former nightline producer, discuss the origins of the show -- which first aired in 1980 -- and examine how it expanded the bounds of television journalism. The authors recall some of the show's key moments and discuss how Nightline affected world events. Some strong language.

17:37 hours.

NF Krakauer, Jon

INTO THIN AIR: A PERSONAL ACCOUNT OF THE MOUNT EVEREST DISASTER.

Jon Krakauer, who has himself stood atop Mount Everest, returned to Nepal in 1996 intending to report on the commercialization of ascents on the mountain. Instead he witnessed a disaster involving a freak blizzard, a guide who was determined to press on and amateur climbers who attempted the ascent with minimal mountaineering skills.

9:30 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF Krauss, Lawrence Maxwell

THE PHYSICS OF STAR TREK.

Krauss uses the original Star Trek television series (and its spinoffs) to explore concepts in physics, quantum mechanics, interstellar flight, and time travel, as he questions the possibility of "warp drives," "transporters," "wormholes," "phasars," and "holodecks," as well as extraterrestrial life. With a foreward by Stephen Hawking.

5:46 hours.

Reader: James DeLotel

HF Krumm, Stan

ZACHARY'S GOLD: BEING A RECOUNTING OF CERTAIN REMARKABLE EVENTS IN THE BARKERVILLE GOLDFIELDS, 1864.

This work of historical fiction is the story of a young, headstrong man turned goldseeker in the 1860s. Zachary travels north to B.C.'s Barkerville gold fields where he gets involved in the search for a murderer. He must put his faith in a Chinese prospector as betrayal and loyalty in the Canadian wild west unfold.

8:10 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

F Kundera, Milan SLOWNESS.

Two sexual encounters in the same French chateau take place two hundred years apart. Kundera uses the tales to contrast the deliberate pace of eighteenth-century France with contemporary frantic activity and to highlight the ability of memory to savour only what has been experienced at leisure. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

4:30 hours.

Reader: Robert Blumenfeld

SS L'Amour, Louis

BEYOND THE GREAT SNOW MOUNTAINS.

This is a collection of ten action-filled stories of men and women pitted against impossible odds, yet struggling to do what's right. The setting ranges from the American West to the Siberian coast, and from Hollywood to the boxing ring. Tales of war, mystery and romance are spun by one of the world's most popular storytellers.

7:10 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

W L'Amour, Louis

THE HILLS OF HOMICIDE.

The noted western writer presents eight of his "hard-boiled" detective stories. In the title story, a private eye is sent to the small western town of Ranagat to clear Blacky Caronna of wealthy Jack Bitner's murder. Three other stories feature Kip Morgan, a prize-fighter turned private investigator. L'AMour includes an author's note with most of the stories. Some strong language and some violence.

8:55 hours.

Reader: Gary Telles

NF LaBelle, Patti

DON'T BLOCK THE BLESSINGS: REVELATIONS OF A LIFETIME.

A portrait of the Grammy-winning singer of soul, gospel, and pop music. Traces her early career with the Blue Belles in the 1960s, as leader of LaBelle in the 1970s, and as a solo performer in later years. Recounts the tragedies and the personal guilt that beset her life.

10:00 hours.

Reader: Gail Nelson

M Lansdale, Joe R.

THE TWO-BEAR MAMBO.

The bi-racial investigating team of Hap Collins and Leonard Pine venture into a racist East Texas town looking for the missing Florida Grange, who is Hap's former lover and Leonard's lawyer. The two sleuths have a raucous series of humorous and brutal encounters with some local rednecks before they resolve Florida's fate. Strong language and violence.

8:5 hours.

Reader: Chuck Young

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

NF Lark, Susan M.

OVERCOMING CHRONIC FATIGUE.

Subtitle: effective self-help options to relieve the fatigue associated with CFS, candida, allergies, PMS, menopause, anemia, low thyroid, and depression This book is aimed at women readers, as part of the "Women's Self-Care Library" series.

2:10 hours.

NF Lasgarn, Hugh

VET FOR ALL SEASONS.

Hugh Lasgarn was a veterinarian in Wales during the 1950s. This is a colourful and entertaining account of his life and adventures in the country as he tended to animals and comforted their owners at all hours of the day and night. Along the way, his wife Diana learned about the trade by helping him in his practice.

6:00 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

NF Lasgarn, Hugh

VET IN GREEN PASTURES.

This is one of Lasgarn's early books about his life as a vet in the Welsh Border country. As he recalls stories that are humorous, heartwarming, and sometimes tragic, the reader is captivated by a life of devotion to animals and their sometimes quirky owners.

7:35 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

Su Laurie, Hugh

THE GUN SELLER.

When former soldier Thomas Lang is offered a contract to murder a wealthy businessman, he politely declines. However, his attempt to warn the intended victim draws him unwittingly and unwillingly into the centre of a dangerous James Bond-like plot of international terrorists, arms dealer, high tech weapons and love.

9:35 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Lawrence, Margaret K. HEARTS AND BONES.

The discovery of a woman's beaten, raped body by midwife Hannah Trevor shocks the town of Rufford, Maine, in 1787. There is also a letter of accusation, naming Hannah's lover, penned by the victim just before her death. Joining in the investigation, Hannah follows a winding trail of clues to the murderer. Violence and descriptions of sex.

11:30 hours.

Reader: Annie Wauters

F Lawrence, Starling MONTENEGRO.

This is a compelling novel about individual lives in an age-old conflict. Amidst the beauty of the region near Montenegro, with WW I already on the horizon, Auberon Harwell is an Englishman with a keen interest in the tangled politics of the Balkans. He falls in love with the wife of a Serbian patriarch, and is faced with some agonizing choices.

12:25 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

Sp Le Carré, John THE TAILOR OF PANAMA.

Harry Pendel sets up shop in Panama as a tailor to some of the most significant men there, including the president. Rogue spymaster, Andy Osnard, pressures him into providing information which is passed on to an unsavory collection of right-wing press lords and arms manufacturers, as the date for the end of foreign control of the canal draws near.

11:10 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

SF Le Guin, Ursula K.

A FISHERMAN OF THE INLAND SEA: SCIENCE FICTION STORIES.

Eight tales that delve into the relationship between perception and reality, and explore the "churten" effect, a way of moving objects and people between distant worlds at the speed of light. In the title story, a churten researcher is flung backward in time to face a choice of alternative futures. Some strong language.

7:05 hours.

Reader: Ted Stoddard

NF **Leaming, Barbara**KATHARINE HEPBURN.

A look at the forces that shaped and drove the acclaimed actress. From an accomplished but troubled New England family, Katharine Hepburn was strongly influenced by her strict father and her outspoken mother. From her earliest days of acting in New York City, she is described as an "original" and a "personage." The author sheds new light on the relationships in Hepburn's life. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

21:33 hours.

Reader: Kimberly Schraf

Reader: Clay Teunis

W Ledd, Paul

WYOMING WENCH.

Shelter Morgan usually takes a few days off after he finishes a tough assignment. But this time his vacation leads to a trail of action when he picks up Ellen Blye. Ellen has been ambushed by hired guns who are determined to run her out of the horse-wrangling business. She warns Shelter about becoming involved, but now his interest is aroused. Some descriptions of sex.

5:00 hours.

NF Lee, Eldon

TALL IN THE SADDLE: RANCH LIFE IN THE CARIBOO.

A 1930s Cariboo Ranch with its isolation, indifferent summers and sub-zero winters that could last six months was a startling contrast to sunny California. But to the two young Lee boys, their new home promised to be a huge adventure. This is the story of their early years in B.C.'s ranch country.

4:50 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

F Lee, Gus

TIGER'S TAIL.

In 1974, Chinese American Captain Jackson Kan is ordered to the Korean demilitarized zone to find a missing army prosecutor. Kan liberates a hell-hole prison, deposes the power-mad commander, and defuses a plot to incite a war, all while dealing with his own problems as a Vietnam veteran and as a Chinese son. Strong language and violence.

12:33 hours. Reader: Ed Blake

F Lehrer, James

THE LAST DEBATE.

In this novel, Tom Chapman, a veteran journalist, is presented with the most sensational story of his life when he discovers scandal and backroom negotiations prior to a final battle between two presidential candidates.

11:05 hours. Reader: Harold Roberts

F Lenz, Frederick

SURFING THE HIMALAYAS: A SPIRITUAL ADVENTURE.

A young American snowboarder travels to the Himalayas. The young man plows into a Buddhist monk named Master Fwap, who takes him on as a spiritual apprentice. Using snowboarding as a path to enlightenment, Master Fwap shows how, by fleeing the mind and challenging the soul, one can master any mountain, and master oneself.

5:20 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

R Lessing, Doris May

LOVE, AGAIN: A NOVEL

This novel tells the story of Sarah who, at the age of sixty-five, falls in love with two much younger men. She embarks on a journey of discovery about the state of love and the sexuality of older women. It is a richly textured story that explores the range of emotions which Sarah experiences.

14:45 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

NF Levy, Shawn

KING OF COMEDY: THE LIFE AND ART OF JERRY LEWIS.

This is scrupulously honest portrait of the controversial comic star, Vegas icon, film director and philanthropist, and the story of more than 50 years of show-biz history. It shows Lewis as a man driven to achieve for his own sake, and for the sake of giving to others around the world.

24:30 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

R Lindsey, Johanna CAPTIVE BRIDE.

Seventeen-year-old Christina Wakefield's first London season in 1883 is ruined by the arrogant Philip Caxton. Soon afterwards her brother is ordered to Cairo, and Christina travels with him. On her first night there, Christina is abducted by Sheik Abu, a.k.a. Philip Caxton. Explicit descriptions of sex, some strong language, and some violence.

9:13 hours.

Reader: Gabrielle Cavallero

Sp Littell, Robert

AN AGENT IN PLACE.

Fearing the end of the Cold War, a mysterious, autonomous American agency hatches a plot to thwart changes in the Soviet Union. The bureau's patsy is agent Ben Bassett, sent to Moscow supposedly to eradicate all paper traces of a CIA operation called Ironweed. While both American and Soviet operatives track his movements, Ben further complicates the plan by falling love with a Russian poet. Explicit descriptions of sex and some strong language.

11:10 hours.

Reader: George Backman

NF THE LIVES OF THE KINGS & QUEENS OF ENGLAND.

Collection of short biographies by eight different writers of the kings and queens of England, from William the Conqueror to Elizabeth II.

14:38 hours.

Reader: Mac Samples

F Livesey, Margot

CRIMINALS: A NOVEL.

A disturbing letter from his sister Maggie, sends an uptight middle-aged London banker to Scotland to see her. Along the way he discovers a baby girl abandoned in a bus station rest room, and takes her along with him. When Maggie conspires to keep the baby, she and her brother find themselves in murky legal and moral waters.

9:30 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

F Lodge, David

SMALL WORLD.

This is a touching yet brilliantly witty novel about the academic world of the 1980s. A fascinating cast of characters is portrayed by this popular British novelist. He mixes humour with romance in the small world of those travelling the globe from campus to campus.

12:05 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

HF Long, William Stuart

THE IMPERIALISTS.

A new century dawns, and new hopes drive the children of convicts and colonialists who proudly call themselves "Aussies". Some, like young idealist Toto Mason, will journey into the outback looking for treasures of gold and glory. Others like the famous Broome family, will turn to the intrigue of politics. 12th in the "Australians" saga.

14:50 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

HF Long, William Stuart THE SEAFARERS.

This continues the story of Jenny Broome, her son Justin and the other pioneers who carve a life for themselves in the newly-formed colonies. Jon Fisher and Harry Ryan return from South Africa to learn about a conflict involving three sailing ships. 10th in the "Australians" saga between "The empire builders" and "The nationalists".

13:50 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

W Loveday, John

HALO

A boy comes of age while en route to Oregon on a wagon train in the mid 1800s. He chronicles the daily routine, his discovery of art, and his sexual awakening with a mother and daughter. The blissful peace of the trail is lost when the party reaches Halo, a raucous frontier town. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

7:10 hours.

Reader: John Stratton

R Lowell, Elizabeth

AUTUMN LOVER.

Elyssa Sutton, twenty, is startled when Hunter Maxwell offers his services as a ramrod who can handle a gun. Together they rally against the Culpeppers, a family of raiders who are stripping the Ladder S ranch of cattle. Strong language, explicit descriptions of sex, and some violence.

13:41 hours.

Reader: Sharon Murray

M Maas, Peter CHINA WHITE.

Y.K. Deng, a successful Hong Kong businessman, seeks an American law firm to manage his interests as he relocates to the U.S. prior to the Chinese takeover of Hong Kong. Tom MacLean is eager to get Deng as a client, unaware that Deng will use him (and his father's CIA connections) to unload a huge shipment of heroin. Strong language and some descriptions of sex.

9:33 hours. Reader: Ed Blake

NF MacDonald, Betty Bard THE PLAGUE AND I.

Originally published in the late 1940s, and re-issued in the 1970s, this is a humorous and sympathetic account of the author's stay in a sanatorium call "The Pines", while she was recovering from tuberculosis. The author also wrote a best-selling account of chicken raising, called "The egg and I".

8:05 hours. Reader: Melanie Ray

M MacDonald, John D. THE DROWNER

Lucille Hanson had rid herself of her rich husband who lived casually and loved carelessly. She was finally putting together the pieces of her life -- until her body was found at the bottom of a lake. Most people thought it was suicide, but one of her mourners refused to believe it was anything but murder.

7:00 hours. Reader: Bill Alexander

F MacDonnell, Julia

A YEAR OF FAVOR: A NOVEL.

Elizabeth Guerrera, a reporter for the Herald-Sun for more than six years, wonders when her big break will come. At last it is here, and she is off the Central America to cover events in the coffee-producing country of Bellavista. But when she arrives, she gets caught up in a struggle between allegiance to citizens who are mistreated and loyalty to the minister of defence who seduces her. Strong language, violence and explicit descriptions of sex.

13:25 hours.

Reader: Grainne Cassidy

F MacLennan, Hugh

THE WATCH THAT ENDS THE NIGHT.

The world of George and Catherine Stewart is turned upside down with the reappearance of Catherine's first husband, Jerome Martell, thought to have died in a Nazi prison camp. The story goes back to the lives of these three people in 1930s Montreal -- lives closely bound together by admiration and love.

13:05 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

R Macomber, Debbie

BECAUSE OF THE BABY.

Matt Caldwell is an easy going charmer who's recently moved to Hard Luck, Alaska. He's also begun a strategy to win back his ex-wife Karen. Karen is still in love her ex-husband, as her reaction to him at his sister's wedding certainly proves. It also leaves her pregnant.

5:10 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

HF Mahfouz, Naguib SUGAR STREET.

This is the climactic conclusion to a trilogy in which the family of Al-Sayyid Ahmad moves into the middle of the 20th century, at the time that seeds of contemporary Egypt are being sown. It is richly detailed and affectionately told story. Preceded by "Palace of desire" in the Cairo trilogy.

11:10 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

F Makine, Andreï

DREAMS OF MY RUSSIAN SUMMERS.

A Soviet youth imbibes his French grandmother's tales of Paris and the Soviet Revolution during his summer visits to her home on the steppes. His fascination with her and her stories transcends his Russian life and leads him eventually to France. Some violence. Winner of top French literary awards: the Prix Goncourt and the Prix Medicis.

9:11 hours.

Reader: Ken Kliban

SS THE MAN WHO LOVED PRESENTS: SEASONAL STORIES.

Stories about the season of goodwill from top women writers and talented newcomers. From horror to humour, from satire to the macabre and the fabulous, these tales examine the turbulence of family gatherings, the volatile meetings of generations, and the tantalizing trauma of excessive eating, drinking, and entertaining.

6:58 hours.

Reader: Joan Walker

NF Manley, Rachel

DRUMBLAIR: MEMORIES OF A JAMAICAN CHILDHOOD.

Poet Rachel Manley, granddaughter and daughter of two of Jamaica's national leaders, tells the story of the brilliant, artistic Manley family, and the house that nurtured them: Drumblair.

11:57 hours.

Reader: Sondra Bolton

Su Mann, Paul

THE BRITANNIA CONTRACT

In this novel, the British royal yacht Britannia, with Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip on board, is hijacked by the IRA. Their goal is to force a withdrawal of all British troops from Northern Ireland within 7 days. Anarchy reigns in Belfast and the American president must decide where his interests lie as pro-Irish violence erupts in the U.S.

15:30 hours.

Reader: William Samples

NF Marchand, Philip

RIPOSTES: REFLECTIONS ON CANADIAN LITERATURE.

A collection of essays on Canadian literature by literary critic Philip Marchand. Marchand considers the work of some of Canada's leading writers and common themes in Canadian literature.

7:23 hours.

Reader: Simon Curwen

M Maron, Margaret FUGITIVE COLORS.

Police Lieutenant Sigrid Harald grieves when her artist lover, Oscar Nauman, is killed in a car accident. Nauman bequeaths his prized artwork to her, and New York gallery owners stage a memorial retrospective in his honor. When one of them is found murdered in Nauman's apartment, Harald finds herself back on the job. Some strong language.

9:33 hours.

Reader: Gillian Wilson

NF Marotta, Terry

I THOUGHT HE WAS A SPEED BUMP -- AND OTHER EXCUSES FROM LIFE IN THE FAST LANE.

Newspaper columnist's collection of essays is peopled mainly by family members. She faints in a clattering of bones after viewing her husband's cut arm. While picking up fast food at MacDonalds, she wears her baby's spit up proudly and with a certain sorrowful dignity. She marvels how kids can't do homework without adults drilling, coaching, and offering snacks and back rubs.

3:50 hours.

Reader: Mimi Bederman

NF Martin, Jane

SCARLETT SAVES HER FAMILY.: THE HEART-WARMING TRUE STORY OF A STRAY MOTHER CAT WHO RESCUED HER KITTENS FROM A RAGING FIRE.

. When a fire in an abandoned garage threatened the lives of her newborn kittens, Scarlett courageously went in the burning building to retrieve them one by one. The story of this cat's devotion made headlines in 1996 as people's hearts were captured by this true-to-life animal rescue.

2:05 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

R Mather, Anne BRITTLE BONDAGE

Rachel's marriage had ended in bitterness and tears. She was sure that Ben had been unfaithful to her, but he had denied it. Ben seemed reluctant to accept that their relationship was finally over and had definite ideas about where Rachel's future happiness lay. Could Rachel dare to believe that she and Ben had a chance for a lifetime of loving?

6:10 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

R Maxwell, Evan

ALL THE WINTERS THAT HAVE BEEN.

Dane Corvin returns to the Pacific Northwest to tend his dying uncle and to resolve the rift that separated him from his lover, Helen Raven, twenty years ago. In a bittersweet reunion, Helen reveals that Dane is the father of her son. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

5:30 hours.

Reader: Jeff Baker

R McAllister, Anne

THE ALEXAKIS BRIDE.

Damon Alexakis had looks, wealth and power. What he didn't have was a suitable wife. Kate McKee was the perfect choice. She was stunned by his proposal, but what choice did she have against it? Maybe by inventing a mystery lover, she would delay the inevitable and be able to share his life for a while, but not his bed.

5:20 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

M McBain, Ed WHERE THERE'S SMOKE.

Benjamin Smoke is a retired police lieutenant who leaves his job because he is bored, to become a private detective. His first job is perfect. Someone has stolen a dead body. As Smoke investigates, he is in for one surprise after another, with black magic and more murder adding to the challenge.

4:40 hours. Reader: Harold Roberts

NF McBride, Bunny

MOLLY SPOTTED ELK: A PENOBSCOT IN PARIS.

A biography of a Native American whose exotic beauty and dancing made her a nightclub star in the glittering and literary Paris of the 1930s. Tells how she won the heart of a French journalist, whom she married. Journals and letters documenting her life as an entertainer and as a woman outside mainstream culture are the basis of this work, which reveals her as a person of intelligence and remarkable character.

12:53 hours. Reader: Margaret Storm

F McCaig, Donald NOP'S HOPE.

This poignant sequel to "Nop's trials" follows Penny Burkholden, grieving over the deaths of her husband and daughter in an accident, as she and her Border Collie, Hope, travel from one sheepdog trial to the next. Along the way, two men fall in love with her, and a test of skill and sanity ensues.

6:25 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

NF McCall, Bruce

THIN ICE: COMING OF AGE IN CANADA.

Bruce McCall, now admired humorist and illustrator for the "The New Yorker" magazine, recounts a childhood in Toronto that belies his present success. He tells a funny, moving and pleasurably Canadian story about his youth that resonates with bittersweet memories.

7:45 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

M McDermid, Val

CLEAN BREAK: A KATE BRANNIGAN MYSTERY.

Kate Brannigan, private investigator, is not amused when a Monet painting is stolen from a stately home where she arranged security. Kate also encounters deadly sabotage, and a simple case of black mail soon turns into a shocking case of murder.

8:35 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

SF McDevitt, Jack

ANCIENT SHORES.

Discovering a ten-thousand-year-old sea ship buried on his North Dakota farm, Tom Lasker uncovers a portal to another world and captures the attention of many others, including people from the nearby Sioux nation, who believe that the portal leads to Eden.

10:05 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

M McGarrity, Michael MEXICAN HAT

The hero of "Tularosa" returns in a compelling mystery of family secrets played out against the breathtaking Gila Wilderness of southwestern New Mexico. The poaching of wildlife, the murder of a Mexican tourist, and the discovery of a disoriented old man in the wilderness thrusts former Santa Fe chief of detectives into a dangerous investigation.

8:25 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

M McGown, Jill

THE STALKING HORSE.

On the day he is released from prison, Bill Holt heads for the Greystone boardroom. He is determined to discover which director framed him, 16 years ago, for two murders. Some descriptions of sex.

7:25 hours.

Reader: George Patterson

F McMurtry, Larry THE LATE CHILD.

Five-year-old Eddie sustains his mother with his sweet and forthright nature while she reels from the death of her older daughter. Eddie, his mom, and his aunts journey to New York and Oklahoma to make sense of their grief and find the meaning of family. Sequel to "The desert rose." Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex.

15:45 hours.

Reader: Dick Jenkins

R McNaught, Judith REMEMBER WHEN.

Cole Harrison has to find a wife or his uncle will leave the share of the business that Cole built to another relative. Diana Foster has just been jilted by her fiance for an Italian heiress. The two decide to marry for business reasons. The story follows them as they gradually discover that they have fallen in love.

13:00 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF McQueen, Rod

THE EATONS: THE RISE AND FALL OF CANADA'S ROYAL FAMILY.

This revealing book details how the Eatons dynasty was created over four generations and almost destroyed in one. It discusses the private and business lives of a colourful cast of characters who have touched the lives of Canadians from coast to coast.

13:30 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

Sp Meade, Glenn SNOW WOLF.

In 1953, President Eisenhower receives alarming reports of Joseph Stalin's deteriorating mental health and of a heightened risk of war. Ike authorizes the CIA to kill Stalin and two agents are dropped in Moscow. When the plot goes awry, the agents come under threat from both sides and find an unlikely ally. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex.

19:07 hours.

Reader: Chuck Benson

NF Meade, Marion

BUSTER KEATON: CUT TO THE CHASE.

Born in 1895, Buster Keaton started in vaudeville as a child in his parents' act. He went on to conceive, write, direct, and star in ten silent feature films and nineteen short comedies. Meade focuses on his personal life, which included three marriages, two children, and a battle with alcoholism. She also discusses the abuse young Keaton received from his parents both on and off the stage. Some strong language.

7:45 hours.

Reader: Gary Telles

NF Meisler, Stanley

UNITED NATIONS: THE FIRST FIFTY YEARS.

Survey of the United Nations' (U.N.) first fifty years by a former foreign correspondent for the Los Angeles Times. Many of the chapters are organized around the emergencies faced by the U.N.:the 1956 Suez Crisis, the Korean War, the Cuban missile crisis, the Vietnam war, the peacekeeping effort in Somalia, and others.

16:18 hours.

Reader: John Richardson

Reader: Mary Laurence

NF Melina, Vesanto

BECOMING VEGETARIAN: THE COMPLETE GUIDE TO ADOPTING A HEALTHY VEGETARIAN DIET.

Three registered dieticians discuss vegetarian diet, nutrition, and recipes. They include a food guide for optimal nutrition and easy meal planning and tips for those starting out, as well as those who are already vegetarian. Recipes include nutritional analysis.

15:42 hours.

Su Michaels, Barbara STITCHES IN TIME.

Rachel Grant is working on her doctoral thesis on the art of women's garments prepared for important rites of passage. An antique shop where Rachel works receives an old bridal quilt, and soon Rachel becomes involved in strange misdeeds. It seems that evil magic has been stitched into this quilt rather than the usual protective magic, and the evil magic is luring Rachel into grave danger. Some strong language.

12:15 hours.

Reader: Mary Kane

R Michaels, Fern DEAR EMILY.

Emily believed that one day she would have everything that she wanted; children, an education, and a career of her own. What she got was overweight, out of shape, and dumped. Emily reclaims her life by slimming down and starting her own business and now has two exciting men in her life. Could one of them become her life's true partner?

11:35 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

R Michaels, Fern

SEASONS OF HER LIFE.

In the 1950s Ruby was determined to have a better life when she left her bitter childhood behind and moved to Washington, D. C. Working for the Navy, she was happy and fell in love for the first time. But the harsh reality of life as a military wife destroyed her marriage. She struggled on and eventually succeeded beyond her wildest dreams.

23:00 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

R Michaels, Fern VEGAS HEAT.

Set in 1980 Las Vegas, this steamy romance centres on Fanny who has beeen married twice, to two brothers. When her first husband becomes ill and the second focuses on his business, Fanny feels put at a distance. Will the passion offered by another man help? Preceded by "Vegas rich" and followed by "Vegas sunrise".

15:25 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

R Michaels, Fern VEGAS RICH.

In this spinoff from Michael's Texas trilogy, Sallie Coleman comes to Las Vegas and, because she is kind to an old man, suddenly finds herself very rich. The story continues with accounts of Sallie's grandchildren. Prequel to "Vegas heat." Some strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex.

22:11 hours.

Reader: Martha Harmon Pardee

NF Millar, Will MESSING ABOUT IN BOATS.

Will Millar is a former member of the Irish Rovers band. Now a resident of Maple Bay, B.C. this is the story of his boating journeys around the world, and his adventures on shore. Told with his well-known version of Irish charm and humour.

4:40 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

W Miller, Jim WAR CLOUDS.

Tragedy forces the Callahan clan onto the Sante Fe Trail where they encounter plenty of action. Using their brand new Colt revolvers they face off the Mexican army in a battle to maintain the Texas border.

6:10 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

F Min, Anchee KATHERINE.

A young American woman goes to China after the death of Mao and near the end of the Cultural Revolution, to teach English. She is drawn into the lives of her young students by awakening interest in sexual desire and the ways of the West. She falls in love with two students, one male and one female, with tragic consequences.

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Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

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F Mitchard, Jacquelyn

THE DEEP END OF THE OCEAN.

Beth Cappadora and her two sons are checking into a hotel in Chicago when three-year-old Ben vanishes. Despite a nation-wide search, there is no trace of him. The following nine years of Beth's suppressed agony drives a wedge through her marriage and pushes her other son to delinquency. Then, something unexpected happens.

15:25 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

NF Mitgang, Herbert

WORDS STILL COUNT WITH ME: A CHRONICLE OF LITERARY CONVERSATIONS.

A series of impressionistic portraits drawn from interviews with more than sixty of the twentieth century's great authors, including E.B. White, Rebecca West, and Norman Mailer. Gives insights into their personalities and creative lives.

8:56 hours.

Reader: John Richardson

Reader: Trish Grainge

F Moody, Susan

MISSELTHWAITE.

In a sequel to Frances Hodgson Burnett's "Secret garden", this story follows Mary, Colin and Dick as they grow through adulthood. Although their lives take them to the battlefields of France, the bright lights of London in the 1920s, and India under the Raj, their paths always come back to their beloved Yorkshire moors.

17:05 hours.

F Moore, Brian

THE MAGICIAN'S WIFE.

Emmeline Lambert is married to an illusionist sent to Algeria by Napoleon III to persuade rebels that France's might and magic are too great to fight. Under the blazing sun of Algiers, Emmeline finds a new understanding of herself, her husband, and her country.

8:18 hours.

Reader: Ann Saunders

HF Moore, John Trotwood

HEARTS OF HICKORY: A STORY OF ANDREW JACKSON AND THE WAR OF 1812.

The return of heroes Andrew Jackson and David Crockett after the Creek War inspires Philippe to leave his childhood home near the hermitage to become a grown-up man. As the War of 1812 brews, Philippe is smitten by Pamela Crockett, niece of the famous scout, but Philippe's exploits lead him away, among the Creek Indians.

14:21 hours.

Reader: Jack Fox

NF Moore, Thomas

THE RE-ENCHANTMENT OF EVERYDAY LIFE.

Moore avers that a spiritual, enchanted engagement with life is not a childish thing to be put away with adulthood but a necessity for personal and collective survival. Describes how such ordinary aspects of life as gardens, food, and language can take on a new sense of wonder and beauty.

16:07 hours.

Reader: Gordon Gould

NF Moravec, Ivo

TIGHTROPE PASSAGE: ALONG THE REFUGEE ROUTE TO CANADA.

In July 1983, Ivo Moravec, his wife, Jana, and their young son fled Czechoslovakia in search of freedom. Moravec relates the story of their escape, their months in Austria as refugees, and their arrival in the promised land of Canada.

8:30 hours.

Reader: Geoffrey Whynot

F Morgan, Jan Henry

A DANGEROUS DIRECTION.

The second volume of the fictional memoirs and letters of Niall O'Donell, an Irish immigrant to Lower Canada. O'Donell chronicles the events in Lower Canada, and his own life, from 1828 to 1834. Sequel to "Welcome Niall O'Donell, Emigrant!" Followed by "A damned rebellion!"

19:04 hours.

Reader: Peter Miller

F Morgan, Jan Henry

WELCOME NIALL O'DONELL, EMIGRANT!

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25:41 hours.

Reader: Peter Miller

NF Mori, Kyoko

THE DREAM OF WATER: A MEMOIR

With grace and lyricism, Mori recounts a journey to her native Japan in 1990, from which she had fled as a teenager. During the trip she is haunted by memories of her mother's suicide, her cold abusive father, and her manipulative stepmother. This is a journey of personal discovery and one which helps bring closure to a terrible period in her life.

10:15 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

Su Morrell, David

EXTREME DENIAL.

Anti-terrorist agent Steve Decker took the fall for a botched covert operation in Rome and has retired to New Mexico. Then he meets gorgeous widow Beth Dwyer and disaster strikes. Decker's home is attacked and an explosion rocks Beth's. The stakes are high as Decker matches wits with his violent enemies. Strong language, violence, and explicit descriptions of sex.

12:23 hours.

Reader: Nick Sullivan

Reader: Ralph Lowenstein

NF Morrison, Philip

THE RING OF TRUTH: AN INQUIRY INTO HOW WE KNOW WHAT WE KNOW.

A lively, anecdotal examination of how the scientific method has worked from Galileo to the present time. This book which is a companion to the PBS television series looks at six concepts: looking, change, mapping, clues, atoms, and doubt.

13:00 hours.

F Morrow, James TOWING JEHOVAH.

God has died and fallen into the sea. With that news, sea captain Anthony Van Horne is recruited by a grieving Archangel Raphael to tow God's colossal corpse to a remote Arctic cave for burial. As Van Horne pursues the mission with his motley crew, he confronts a series of setbacks that satirize aspects of modern society. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

12:15 hours.

Reader: Ray Hagen

F Mosley, Walter

GONE FISHIN': AN EASY RAWLINS NOVEL.

In 1939, Easy Rawlins and Mouse are two young men on a reckless road trip to wring money out of Mouse's loathsome stepfather. Their path to manhood is crossed by violence, lust, and tragedy. Prequel to "Devil in a blue dress." Strong language, violence, and descriptions of sex.

4:35 hours.

Reader: Phil Regensdorf

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M Mosley, Walter

A LITTLE YELLOW DOG.

It is 1963 and Easy Rawlins has given up the mean streets for a steady job and a stable life with his adopted kids. But when he tries to help woman in distress, his security is shattered, and he must go back to the streets to clear his name. Strong language, violence, and descriptions of sex.

9:25 hours.

F Mukherjee, Bharati LEAVE IT TO ME.

Abandoned in the Indian desert as an infant, Debby DiMartino was adopted as a toddler by a family in Schenectady, New York. At 23, she begins to search for her biological parents. Knowing that her mother was a California flower child, she sets out for San Francisco, where she changes her identity and slips into the subculture to find her mother. Some strong language and violence.

6:42 hours.

Reader: Barbara Byers

W Nesbitt, John D. ONE-EYED COWBOY WILD.

Gene Hill's brother Zeke suddenly appears after three years of drifting. Zeke had locked horns with Charlie Bickford over a girl. Bickford, ornery as a bull is still around but Zeke is still Zeke, and Gene is wary of what conflict lies ahead.

4:25 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

M Newman, Sharan STRONG AS DEATH

In this medieval mystery, a couple journeys to a shrine to pray for fertility. En route they join a motley group of other pilgrims, some of whom suffer fatal mishaps. The wife and husband follow clues leading to an old wrong and a vengeful killer. Strong language, violence and descriptions of sex.

11:40 hours.

Reader: Suzanne Toren

NF Nimoy, Leonard I AM SPOCK.

Memoir of the actor famous for the pointy-eared, half-alien Star Trek character that he portrayed. Discusses his relationship with the other actors and studio executives and gives an insider's view of the development of the Star Trek phenomenon.

10:18 hours.

Reader: Gary Telles

SF Niven, Larry

THE RINGWORLD THRONE

Louis Wu, two hundred years old but still considering himself a young adventurer, becomes one of the first humans to set foot on the Ringworld. Odd events follow closely behind as he contends with the destruction of incoming spacecraft and a gathering of vampires.

10:00 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

F Norman, Philip

EVERYONE'S GONE TO THE MOON.

Louis Brennan writes for a hip magazine in "Mod London" at the height of the "swinging sixties." He and his married editor, Jack Shildrick, are both having an affair with the same secretary. Brennan is torn between his loyalty to the older, stodgier Shildrick and his desire to gain acceptance from his younger, talented colleagues. Some strong language.

21:23 hours.

Reader: Steven Crossley

NF NOURISHING THE SOUL : DISCOVERING THE SACRED IN EVERYDAY LIFE.

A marvellous collection from some of today's wisest voices: poets, storytellers, musicians, spiritual teachers, psychologists and bestselling authors. The stories provide an enriching spectrum of ideas on rediscovering the sacred souls within ourselves and in the larger culture. Note from book record: "Proceedings of a conference sponsored by the editors of Common Boundary magazine and held in 1993."

10:55 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

HF O'Brian, Patrick

THE TRUELOVE.

Captain Jack Aubrey and surgeon Stephen Maturin are assigned to a merchant ship in the South Pacific. Their mission is to recapture a British whaler, "Truelove". Sequel to "Nutmeg of Consolation."

10:03 hours.

Reader: Tom Martin

M O'Connell, Carol STONE ANGEL.

Renegade police detective Kathleen Mallory left New York City in search of answers about her past. Months later she turned up in a small Louisiana town, with shocking evidence and a plan to seek revenge on the people who stoned her mother to death and the town that stood by and let it happen. Her friends can only stand back and watch in horror.

11:50 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

M O'Connell, Carol THE MAN WHO CAST TWO SHADOWS.

Suspended for shooting a suspect, NYPD sergeant Kathleen Mallory hears on the news that she's been strangled. Mallory moves into the real victim's apartment building to sort out the confusion and pursues a string of clues into a world of illusion and horror. Strong language and violence.

10:16 hours.

Reader: Lock Johnston

NF O'Grady, Scott RETURN WITH HONOR.

Air Force Captain Scott O'Grady prepared for his Deny Flight mission over Bosnia as usual on June 2, 1995. But several hours later, his plane was hit by an antiaircraft missile, and his day became anything but usual. As O'Grady details his survival during the six days it took for him to be rescued, he also provides background information on his life up to and following that mission.

5:00 hours.

Reader: Jack Fox

F O'Hara, John BUTTERFIELD 8.

Inspired by a New York murder case and set in prohibition-era Manhattan of the early 1930s, this novel revolves around the sensational lives of the seedy characters who inhabit the speakeasies and underground clubs of New York's upper East Side. Principal among the cast is Gloria Wandrous, who is on a doomed quest for love. Some strong language.

8:35 hours.

Reader: John Stratton

R Oke, Janette

THE DRUMS OF CHANGE.

A young Blackfoot girl comes of age in 19th century Alberta in this tortured love story. She is chosen along with the chief's son, Silver Fox, to attend a Catholic boarding school in Calgary, and runs up against loneliness and despair when Silver Fox shows more interest in the white an's God than in her.

Reader: Pat Barlow

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7:10 hours.

R Oke, Janette

A GOWN OF SPANISH LACE.

Set in 19th century Montana, a young school teacher falls in love with the man who rescues her from a bunch of outlaws. Smitten but unsure, she urns to her Christian faith to guide her in the right direction.

7:45 hours.

NF Oshinsky, David M.

WORSE THAN SLAVERY: PARCHMAN FARM AND THE ORDEAL OF JIM CROW JUSTICE.

History of the notorious Mississippi penitentiary, infamous for its brutality and deplorable conditions. Examines the state's profitable us of inmates as labour on the twenty-thousand-acre prison plantation and the earlier practice of leasing convicts out to work on cotton farms in the area. Strong language and violence.

9:47 hours. Reader: Ralph Lowenstein

NF O'Toole, Peter LOITERING WITH INTENT.

In this volume of memoirs, the renowned British actor gives an affectionate, beguiling and above all, funny account of his student life: the parties, the money-making schemes, and of course, the work.

15:45 hours.

Reader: William Samples

W Overholser, Wayne D CAST A LONG SHADOW.

Against his dying father's admonition to "stay on the side of the big fellows" of the land grant company, Matt Keenan runs afoul of the powerful "big fellows" who are running settlers off their lands. Keenan joins the settlers' cause and confronts their oppressors in a crucial showdown. Violence.

7:00 hours.

Reader: Phil Regensdorf

NF Packard, David

THE HPWAY: HOW BILL HEWLETT AND I BUILT OUR COMPANY.

In this book, Packard tells the simple yet extraordinary story of his life's work, and of the exceptional company that he and Bill Hewlett started in a garage. Today, this garage in Palo Alto is a California historic landmark; the birthplace of Silicon Valley. Their company grew to employ over 90,000 people and earn sales of 25 billion dollars.

4:25 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

M Page, Emma

IN THE EVENT OF MY DEATH.

Grace Dalton is found murdered on the morning of her seventieth birthday. The killer could be any one of a house full of guests, all of whom stand to benefit under her will. Dalton was a close friend of detective chief inspector Kelsey, giving this latest case a personal edge for him.

7:05 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

W Paine, Lauran

TRAIL OF THE SIOUX.

Scout Jess Hardin escorts the wagon train on which attractive Elizabeth is a passenger. Swift-riding Sioux looking for scalps, horses and meat cause anxiety, as do Elizabeth's tentative overtures of friendship. This novel is full of western and frontier colour.

4:25 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

NF Pape, Richard

BOLDNESS BE MY FRIEND.

Classic adventure tale of a British airman's escape from German-occupied Europe in World War II. Describes the activities of the anti-Nazi underground in Eastern Europe, which provided Pape's escape route. Some strong language.

14:55 hours.

Reader: Arthur Blake

Su Pargeter, Edith BY FIRELIGHT

After the untimely death of her husband, Claire Falchion retreats to a dilapidated schoolhouse in the tranquil village of Sunderne. Her peace is threatened by a growing acquaintance with her neighbour, and the house itself seems to be unleashing strange ideas that she cannot explain, almost like having second sight. Even Claire's pen seems to be writing of its own accord -- memories of a witch hunt appear on the page, and terrible scenes come alive in the countryside around her.

13:50 hours.

Reader: Gregel Davis

M Parker, Robert B.

A CATSKILL EAGLE.

This mystery-thriller pits Boston private eye Spenser against a dangerous man now wanted by the federal government. Trouble is, the wanted man's son is also the new boyfriend of Spenser's good friend Susan. Or is he really a boyfriend? Spenser and his friend Hawk are on a desperate search to find the men, and save Susan.

6:60 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Parker, Willie J

HALT!: I'M A FEDERAL GAME WARDEN: THE AMAZING CAREER OF "THE TOUGHEST GAME WARDEN OF THEM ALL".

This true story is as exciting as the adventures of western sheriffs in the days of Billy the Kid. Willie Parker reveals the inner world in which a dedicated game warden lived during the 1970s. As he wrote about his encounters, his reputation spread across the country. This is a sometimes comical and poignant chronicle.

6:10 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

M Parsons, Julie MARY, MARY.

In this tragic and horrifying story, Margaret, a psychiatrist who recently returned to Dublin, learns that her missing daughter has been brutally murdered. In a city where she once loved and shone, she is now faced with tragedy and sorrow that may last a lifetime. Bestseller 1998 and subject of a feature movie.

14:25 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

M Paton Walsh, Jill

A PIECE OF JUSTICE.,

Cambridge University nurse Imogen Quy becomes involved in another mystery. Her lodger, student Fran Bullion, has been asked to write a biography of a Cambridge mathematician, Gideon Summerfield. Although Summerfield appears to have been a bit of a bore, each of his previous biographers has mysteriously died or disappeared. Imogen's own project, quiltmaking, provides an intriguing clue

7:00 hours.

Reader: June Carter

Reader: Michael Kramer

NF Paulsen, Gary

WINTERDANCE: THE FINE MADNESS OF RUNNING THE IDITAROD.

Recounts the author's survival adventure -- running the 1,180-mile Iditarod dogsled race across the Arctic wilderness. Enduring frostbite, sleeplessness, moose attacks, and countless trail hazards, he finished the race eager to run another.

7:00 hours.

M Pawson, Stuart THE MUSHROOM MAN

A child is missing. Is her father as devastated as he seems to be? Detective Charles Priest is not sure. He's also caught up in the deaths of several clergymen. Are they related? And what is the meaning of the picture of a Destroying Angel mushroom left at the scene of the crime?

9:30 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

Su Pearce, Michael

THE MINGRELIAN CONSPIRACY.

Cairo cafe culture in 1908 has become threatened by gangs in the protection business. Gareth Owen, the Mamur Zapt and head of Cairo's secret police, must solve the gang connections quickly because a plot is brewing, aimed at a Russian Grand Duke whose visit is imminent.

5:10 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

F Peck, M. Scott

IN HEAVEN AS ON EARTH: A VISION OF THE AFTERLIFE.

The author of "The road less travelled" presents a visionary account of the soul's journey in the afterlife, told through the experiences of a fictional psychiatrist who attempts to fulfil his destiny. He learns that in order to do the work of God, one must live well with others.

5:05 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Pedrazas, Allan THE HARRY CHRONICLES.

With income from his Fort Lauderdale beach pub, Harry Rice finances his avocation as a private investigator. When Harry is hired to locate a stolen gun collection, he becomes embroiled in adultery, smuggling, and murder -- of which he himself is a suspect. An elusive naked dancer and an iron-pumping mobster add colour. Some strong language.

7:12 hours.

Reader: Ray Foushee

NF Pépin, Jacques

JACQUES PÉPIN'S SIMPLE AND HEALTHY COOKING.

Pepin, who has cooked for three French presidents, has taken recipes with high caloric or fat content and adapted them for a healthier lifestyle. He shows how appetizers, main courses, side dishes, and desserts can be made not only healthy but attractive and delicious. He also includes sample menus containing less than 30 percent of their calories from fat -- the percentage recommended by many doctors.

9:15 hours.

Reader: Anne Flosnik

NF Perret, Gene

GREAT ONE-LINERS.

Bob Hope's head comedy writer provides a collection of one-liners and their setups. Topics include education, family, traffic, fashion, football and more. Includes jokes used by Woody Allen, Milton Berle, Phyllis Diller, and Rodney Dangerfield.

2:02 hours.

Reader: Jack Fox

M Perry, Anne

THE HYDE PARK HEADSMAN.

This mystery, set in Victorian London and full of fine detail, follows police supervisor Thomas Pitt as he tries to discover who is behind a series of axe murders in Hyde Park. Clues are few, and the victims apparently died without a struggle. The public outcry is rising, and Pitt must solve the problem.

12:20 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Perry, Anne

THE SINS OF THE WOLF.

This Victorian-era mystery features William Monk and nurse Hester Latterly. Hester is accused of murdering her elderly patient and stealing some jewellery. Her only hope to escape the hangman is private investigator Monk. He must bring his considerable skill to bear in convincing a hostie Scottish court about Hester's innocence.

15:45 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

M Perry, Anne

TRAITOR'S GATE.

Victorian-era police inspector Thomas Pitt sets out to investigate a matter of treason in the Colonial Office. At the same time Pitt's mentor, Sir Arthur Desmond is found dead of an accidental overdose. Pitt doesn't think the death is accidental, but how these crimes are connected and why, tests Pitt and his savvy wife Charlotte to the limit.

12:40 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Perry, Anne

WEIGHED IN THE BALANCE.

As barrister Oliver Rathbone prepares to defend his client Countess Zorah Rostova against a charge of slander, private detective William Monk and nurse Hester Latterly become caught up in a notorious case of royal scandal and murder in nineteenth century London.

14:10 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

M Peters, Elizabeth

SEEING A LARGE CAT.

In 1903 Egypt, archaeologist Amelia Peabody and her husband, Emerson, encounter danger when they receive a warning not to enter the Valley of the Kings. An assassin tries to halt their discoveries and Amelia exposes a fraudulent spiritualist.

14:15 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

NF Peterson, Jan

TWIN CITIES: ALBERNI-PORT ALBERNI.

This is the 2nd volume of the author's history of the Albernis on Vancouver Island. It covers the period from 1922 until 1967 when Alberni and Port Alberni were amalgamated into the seventh largest city in B.C. A host of colourful characters and local events are chronicled, including the tidal wave of 1964.

15:50 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Pfaff, Daniel W

JOSEPH PULITZER II AND THE POST-DISPATCH : A NEWSPAPERMAN'S LIFE.

When blindness forced Joseph Pulitzer to relinquish control of his newspaper empire, he turned the New York World over to his two most promising sons. The paper folded. He put his fun-loving namesake at the helm of the St. Louis Post-dispatch, but this son assembled a fine staff and developed a distinguished paper. Pfaff relates the father-son relationship and career of the son who was to continue the legacy.

16:57 hours.

Reader: Peter Johnson

F Phillips, Jayne Anne SHELTER.

A rite-of-passage tale in which two young sisters encounter crazed drifters in a remote West Virginia girls' camp in 1963. The girls are transformed by their contacts with Parson, a Bible-obsessed avenger; Buddy, child of the forest; and the vicious Carmody. Strong language and violence.

12:45 hours.

Reader: Kimberly Shraf

Reader: Madelyn Buzzard

M Pickard, Nancy SAY NO TO MURDER.

A member of the committee on renovating Liberty Harbor, Jenny Cain investigates the murder of the construction foreman to learn why the project is being sabotaged. Although her detective boyfriend is on the case, Jenny urgently seeks her own answers after a second sinister murder. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

7:02 hours.

Th Pitman, Richard

THE THIRD DEGREE, THE.

When a struggling horse trainer gives a Chinese Triad gang a bad racing tip and they lose thousands, they want their money back, or else. It is jockey Eddie Malloy to the rescue. He finds himself up against a high-tech fraud artist conspiring to bring down the bookmaking industry.

9:00 hours.

Reader: William Samples

F Plain, Belva

TREASURES.

The three Osborne children take different paths in their lives, but their family ties ensure a shared fate. Eddy is the bright "wonder boy" of Wall Street, Connie is looking for wealth and adventure. Lara remains in a small midwestern town to follow her own dreams. But each must face scandal as they fight conflicting loyalties.

12:25 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

SF Popescu, Petru

ALMOST ADAM.

On a remote savanna in Kenya, young scientist Ken Lauder discovers and befriends a protohuman boy. When the two become the prey of conspirators, they flee into a violent, primal world that has escaped evolution for millions of years. Strong language, violence and descriptions of sex.

21:52 hours.

Reader: David Hartley-Margolin

NF Porch, Douglas

THE FRENCH SECRET SERVICES: FROM THE DREYFUS AFFAIR TO THE GULF WAR

Porch examines intelligence services in modern French history, tracing their roots to Napoleon and analysing their impact on government and the military during two world wars and colonial rule in Africa and Southeast Asia. He documents success, such as the Resistance in World War II, as well as failures, such as the infamous Dreyfus Affair.

23:30 hours.

Reader: Steven Carpenter

Th Preston, Douglas J. MOUNT DRAGON.

Genetic scientist Guy Carson's assignment at the elite Mount Dragon biomedical lab in New Mexico is to find a permanent cure for the flu by altering human DNA. But his discoveries take a tragic turn, putting the whole world at horrifying risk. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

16:19 hours.

Reader: Jim Zeiger

M Pronzini, Bill

BLUE LONESOME.

Every evening Jim Messenger dines alone in the Harmony Cafe, where Janet Mitchell, another lonely soul, catches his fancy. When she commits suicide, Jim sets out to discover her story. His hunt leads him to a bleak Nevada town, where he learns Janet's terrible secret. Strong language.

7:41 hours.

Reader: Christopher Walker

M Pronzini, Bill

SENTINELS: A "NAMELESS DETECTIVE" NOVEL.

Hired by the mother of a college student who, along with her boyfriend, vanished during a trip to Oregon to San Francisco, the "nameless detective" journeys into the wilderness of northern California and stumbles into a web of silence and fear.

5:45 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

NF Pynn, Larry

THE FORGOTTEN TRAIL: ONE MAN'S ADVENTURES ON THE CANADIAN ROUTE TO THE KLONDIKE.

In 1992 Vancouver sun journalist Pynn followed the old Stikine Trail on foot, horseback and by canoe. He discovered many relics, met colourful characters, and relived Canadian gold rush history.

5:30 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF RED SERGE WIVES.

Originally published in 1974, this is a collection of memoirs by wives of R.C.M.P. officers. Through their courage, devotion and support, the isolation of police work in rural Canada years ago was made more bearable.

8:45 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

F Redfield, James

THE CELESTINE PROPHECY.

This is a spiritual adventure story about the search for a lost Peruvian manuscript which contains the secrets of nine insights the human race must understand before it can enter a new realm of awareness needed to save the planet. This book's sequel is "The tenth insight".

9:55 hours.

Reader: William Samples

NF Reed, Terry

COMPROMISED: CLINTON, BUSH AND THE CIA.

This book alleges strong connections between three US presidents and secret CIA dealings that bypassed a Congressional ban on military aid to the Contra fighters in Nicaragua. It also claims to show how bill Clinton's political ambitions led to an alliance with the CIA for their support in his bid for the White House.

32:40 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

NF Reeve, Christopher

STILL ME.

This is Reeve's determined and passionate account of how he and his family came to grips with the devastating accident which left him a quadriplegic. Triumphantly he fought not only for himself but for the hundreds of thousands of people with spinal cord injuries in the US and around the world.

9:25 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

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NF Reiger, George

HERON HILL CHRONICLE.

In the 1970s, the Reigers gave up fast-track publishing careers in New York to purchase and restore an old farmhouse in Virginia. They called the farm "Heron Hill" and set about learning to live the rural life. This chronicle is filled with stories of nature and wildlife, and the conservation ethic of their fellow Virginians.

4:25 hours.

NF Remen, Rachel Naomi KITCHEN TABLE WISDOM: STORIES THAT HEAL.

"Everybody is a story," writes Dr. Remen in her introduction. People used to sit around kitchen tables and tell their stories, but that doesn't happen so much anymore. This book weaves the stories of people's lives into a physician's view of wisdom, meditation and ultimately of healing.

9:00 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

M Reynolds, John Lawrence GYPSY SINS.

On holiday in the Bahamas, Joe McGuire of the Boston Police Department must return for the funeral of his favourite aunt, Cora Godwin. But he begins to suspect that she might not have died of natural causes. What he uncovers is a conspiracy of ugly secrets and long-buried sins. Some strong language.

10:40 hours.

Reader: Corinne Conley

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10:40 hours. Reader: Corinne Conley

F Reynolds, Sheri THE RAPTURE OF CANAAN.

Ninah Huff's Grandpa Herman, minister of the Church of Fire and Brimstone and God's Almighty Baptizing Wind, maintains control over the entire community in an isolated part of South Carolina. But Ninah, fourteen, finds herself pregnant by her prayer partner James, fifteen, because they believe they are following God's command. Some strong language.

8:30 hours. Reader: Michele Schaefer

F Ricci, Nino WHERE SHE HAS GONE.

Victor becomes reacquainted with his half-sister, Rita, soon after his father's death. As they grow closer, Victor returns to Valle del Sole, the small village where he was born, and where he hopes to discover the secret of his mother's "sin" and the identity of Rita's father. Some descriptions of sex.

11:24 hours. Reader: Gerry Glinski

F Rice, Anne TALTOS.

The third in the saga of the Mayfair witches that began with "The witching hour" and "Lasher" journeys through time to explore an ancient civilization of mysterious origins that finds itself at odds with mortality and immortality, justice and guilt.

22:20 hours. Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

R Rice, Luanne HOME FIRES.

After the death of her small daughter and the discovery of her husband's infidelity, Anne Davis returns to her family home on a New England island. When the house catches fire, Anne is rescued by a fireman who understands completely the pain she's experiencing. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex.

10:07 hours.

Reader: Carole Jordan Stewart

NF Richards, David Adams

LINES ON THE WATER: A FISHERMAN'S LIFE ON THE MIRAMICHI.

Richards reflects on the art of fishing the Miramichi River, from landing his first trout to the endless search for the next great fishing pool. He writes about perseverance and respecting nature, and relates the lore, wisdom, humour, and passion of fishing.

6:18 hours.

Reader: Bruce Roney

Reader: Geoffrey Whynot

F Riche, Edward RARE BIRDS.

Dave Purcell is ready to call it quits on his St. John's restaurant, The Auk. His friend Alphonse Murphy, however, proposes an unusual idea which soon has The Auk crawling with the local glitterati. But Phonse has been up to some other tricks as well, and they have caught the attention of certain sinister forces. Strong language.

6:24 hours.

M Richman, Phyllis C. THE BUTTER DID IT.

A great Washington chef has been murdered and it's up to Chas Wheatley, the "Washington Examiner" restaurant critic, to solve the crime. She enlists the help of her daughter and detective/gourmand Homer Jones, who spends more time at the table than on the trail of the killer.

8:05 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

F Robards, Karen

MAGGY'S CHILD.

Magdalena's life appears perfect but behind closed doors her husband Lyle takes his pleasure tormenting her. To reveal this secret would mean losing her beloved son -- a son not fathered by Lyle. Filled with suspense, betrayal, obsession, and enduring love for a child, this is a complex and intriguing novel.

12:50 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

M Robb, Candace M.

THE NUN'S TALE: AN OWEN ARCHER MYSTERY.

In fourteenth-century England, a woman who claims the identity of a deceased nun is trading in stolen relics and miracles. When she is linked to a series of deaths and treason against the crown, Owen Archer is called to investigate. Violence.

12:40 hours.

Reader: Vanessa Maroney

R Roberts, Nora PUBLIC SECRETS.

Escaping from the wrath of her mother, Emma is taken in by her father, a rising star in pop music. With him, his new wife and band members, she feels protected and loved. But her world is shattered by a botched kidnapping. This event haunts her even now as an adult, when she risks love with a man who many not live up to appearances.

16:10 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

R Roberts, Nora SANCTUARY.

In this romantic suspense novel, Jo Ellen Hathaway, a successful photographer, returns to the resort run by her bitterly estranged family in an attempt to discover who killed her mother. Prior to her return, she has been the recipient of haunting photos of close-ups and candid shots, and one of her mother who disappeared long ago.

14:50 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

F Roberts, Nora TRUE BETRAYALS.

Kelsey Byden is twenty-six and starting over. She is making a clean break from her husband and ready for a new life without him. But to her shock, another person from her past has surfaced -- her mother, Naomi Chadwick, who Kelsey thought was dead. At least that's what her father had told her. Now she must sort out truth from lies and betrayals.

15:05 hours.

Reader: Melanie Ray

NF Roberts, Paul William

EMPIRE OF THE SOUL: SOME JOURNEYS IN INDIA.

The author's journey through India spans twenty years and carries the reader across the subcontinent to crumbling palaces where Maharajas live, to ashrams, temples, to the holy men's caves, to remote villages and to a millionaire drug dealer's heavily guarded fortress. The journeys described are both physical and deeply spiritual.

18:50 hours.

Reader: William Samples

M Ross, Kate

A BROKEN VESSEL.,

A nineteenth-century Cockney prostitute, Sally Stokes, pinches an anonymous letter written by a woman whose life is in danger. Julian Kestrel, a dandy and amateur sleuth, sets out with Sally to save the woman, but they must determine her identity and that of Sally's client. Strong language, violence, and some descriptions of sex.

10:55 hours.

Reader: James DeLotel

Reader: Mike Morrison

NF Rostad, Wayne

ON THE ROAD AGAIN.

Rostad revisits some of the most interesting guests on his television show, "On the Road Again." Some of the extraordinary people he introduces are a Newfoundland man who is a connoisseur and salesman of fine iceberg ice, a couple in British Columbia who won the lottery but kept on running the town garbage dump, an Alberta man who eats bugs, and a Quebec woman who has adopted 24 disabled children.

11:30 hours.

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F Roy, Arundhati

THE GOD OF SMALL THINGS.

This is a tale set in Kerala, in southern India, 1969. The lives of twins Rahel and Esthappen are changed forever when their English cousin and her mother arrive on a Christmas visit. The story unfolds with foreboding and takes on big themes like love, madness, hope and joy. Winner of the 1997 Booker Prize.

11:40 hours.

Reader: William Samples

NF Roy, Gabrielle

ENCHANTMENT AND SORROW: THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF GABRIELLE ROY.

Traces the author's life from her Manitoba childhood to her return from a two-year stay in France and England just before World War II.

18:00 hours.

Reader: Barbara Byers

NF Rule, Ann

BITTER HARVEST: A WOMAN'S FURY, A MOTHER'S SACRIFICE

True crime author Ann Rule tells the story of a wealthy Kansas physician who, unable to accept her husband's infidelity and abandonment, sets her home on fire while her children sleep inside. Two of the children died and the physician, Debora Green, is now spending 45 years in prison.

15:25 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

NF Ryder, Sue, Baroness CHILD OF MY LOVE.

This autobiography is a fitting testament to the compassion and indomitable reserve of the British founder of the Sue Ryder Foundation which was set up to provide homes and care teams for the sick and disabled of the world.

26:10 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

NF Sagan, Carl

THE DEMON-HAUNTED WORLD: SCIENCE AS A CANDLE IN THE DARK.

The author shows how scientific thinking is necessary to safeguard our democratic institutions and our technical civilization. With illustrations from his own childhood experience as well as tales of discovery and revealing human stories, Sagan shows how the method of scientific thought can cut through prejudice and hysteria.

16:25 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

F Salinger, J. D.

THE CATCHER IN THE RYE.

Disgusted with the phoniness of adults and relieved that he has finally been expelled from school, 16-year-old Holden Caulfield spends three days alone in New York instead of going home.

7:01 hours.

Reader: Bill Copeland

Reader: Phil Regensdorf

NF Salinger, Pierre

P.S., A MEMOIR.

Autobiography of President Kennedy's press secretary. A self-proclaimed child prodigy on the piano, Salinger received medals as a Marine and worked as a journalist, an investigator for Robert Kennedy, and, at thirty-five, White House press secretary. Salinger later moved to France and became the ABC Television bureau chief in Paris for fifteen years. Some strong language.

14:47 hours.

M Sanders, Lawrence MCNALLY'S GAMBLE.

When wealthy widow, Edythe Westmore, plans to buy a Faberge egg, playboy detective Archy McNally is asked by her children to investigate. He finds himself caught up in family greed, passion and a case of murder.

7:20 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

M Sanders, Lawrence

MCNALLY'S PUZZLE.

Hiram Gottschalk is convinced that someone is out to kill him and hires McNally & Son to find some answers. Soon after, Hiram is found dead, stabbed through the eyes. Then two clerks from his store are abducted and later found in the Everglades, shot to death. The McNallys must solve the murders.

7:55 hours.

Reader: Lawrence Sanders

M Sanders, Lawrence

THE SECOND DEADLY SIN.

It is the 1970s. A retired chief of detectives is brought in to solve the murder of New York painter, Victor Maitland. He follows the trail of a motley crew of suspects with the help of a recovering alcoholic and an off-beat cop.

13:05 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

SF Sawyer, Robert J. ILLEGAL ALIEN.

A starship has entered the Earth's atmosphere, seeking help to repair damage from interplanetary debris. The world welcomes the aliens and assists them in exchange for their knowledge and technology. But the friendship is shattered when a human scientist is found dead and one of the aliens is suspect.

9:54 hours.

Reader: Connie Catalfamo

F Schoemperlen, Diane

IN THE LANGUAGE OF LOVE.

Joanne comes of age in a small Canadian town in the 1950s and 1960s and eventually moves to Toronto, where she works as an artist while looking for love. She explores the relationships between daughter and father, mother and child, and husband and wife. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

16 hours.

Reader: Susan McInerney

NF Secombe, Fred

A CURATE FOR ALL SEASONS

This sequel to "How green was my curate" continues the author's true-life adventures in a Welsh village full of eccentric and accident-prone parishioners. He must arbitrate in a battle over the reorganization of the parish, and deal with the aftermath of the vicar's death.

6:00 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Sedley, Kate

DEATH AND THE CHAPMAN.

It is England in 1471. Roger, a young man who has recently quit monastic life is caught up in the mysterious disappearance of Clement Weaver, the only son of a wealthy Bristol merchant. Clement is not the only person who has vanished without a trace -- there are others.

6:45 hours.

Reader: William Samples

M Sedley, Kate

THE HOLY INNOCENTS.

Roger the Chapman is once again eager for the open road after settling down for more than a year in Bristol. It is early April 1475 as he approaches the thriving village of Totnes. However, Roger senses danger in the air. He learns that two of the village children have mysteriously disappeared, and a band of cutthroat wanderers is on the loose.

8:45 hours.

Reader: William Samples

M Sedley, Kate

THE WEAVER'S TALE.

It is New Year's Eve 1474 and exhaustion forces Roger the Chapman to rest in the home of the widow Margaret Walker and her daughter Lillis, in the ancient trading port of Bristol. As he recovers, Roger puts his talent for solving mysteries to use, and begins to unravel the web of secret allegiances and rivalries that surround the women.

6:25 hours.

Reader: William Samples

Reader: Peter Saxton

NF Selleck, Lee

DYING FOR GOLD: THE TRUE STORY OF THE GIANT MINE MURDERS.

Two Yellowknife journalists analyse what happened during the strike at the Giant mine, which culminated in an explosion which killed nine men in 1992. They describe the major players in the drama, the major events, including the trial of Roger Warren, and even raise questions about Warren's guilt. Some strong language.

20:51 hours.

HF Seton, Anya

THE MISTLETOE AND SWORD: A STORY OF ROMAN BRITAIN.

Set in 60 A.D., during Queen Boadicea's tragic struggle against the Romans. Despite the mutual hatred of the Romans and the Britons, the regal granddaughter of the arch-druid meets a young Roman soldier who changes her life.

7:20 hours.

Reader: Jon Cartwright

M Seymour, Gerald

THE HEART OF DANGER.

The body of a young British woman is found in a mass grave in war-torn Bosnia. On the case is former British agent Bill Penn, whose search focuses on a powerful Serbian warlord. Penn makes a daring attempt to capture the culprit and bring him to justice for war crimes. Strong language, violence and descriptions of sex.

13:5 hours.

Reader: Graeme Malcolm

M Shames, Laurence

VIRGIN HEAT: A NOVEL.

Mafioso Paul Amaro has just finished a nine-year prison stint. The man who fingered him has a new identity as Ziggy Maxx and is bartending in Key West. Paul's daughter Angelina fell in love with Ziggy before the betrayal and still yearns for him. Recognizing his altered appearance in a home video, Angelina heads for Florida, trailing relatives behind her. Strong language.

8:40 hours.

Reader: Madelyn Buzzard

SF Shatner, William

IN ALIEN HANDS: QUEST FOR TOMORROW.

Jim Endicott carries the secret of an extraordinary computer in his DNA, and two different races want it. Jim chooses to work with the Alban race because of a friendship with an agent who saved his life -- only to find that unless he acts quickly, the Hunzza will destroy the Albans.

11:02 hours.

Reader: Mike Morrison

M Sheldon, Sidney

TELL ME YOUR DREAMS.

Three beautiful young women are suspected of committing a series of brutal murders. The story races from London to Rome, Quebec and San Francisco. The investigation and eventual arrest reveal one woman with a multiple personality disorder is behind the crimes.

9:05 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

F Shelley, Mary Wollstonecraft LAST MAN, THE.

In the late twenty-first century, a plague ravages the world, gradually exterminating the entire human race but leaving one man, Lionel Verney, a young Englishman and onetime delinquent.

24:44 hours.

Reader: Philip Smith

W Sherman, Jory THE RIO GRANDE.

Matthew Caine, an agent of the U. S. government and a friend to the Shoshone and Arapaho Indians, has spent his life along the Rio Grande. This big, powerful man is known as "El Gigante" by the Spanish, who fear he is a spy planning to help take away their land. As war rages between the nations, Caine, who has come to love a Shoshone woman, finds his life endangered along the banks of his beloved river. Strong language and some violence.

7:52 hours.

Reader: Roy Avers

F Siddons, Anne Rivers FAULT LINES.

While her husband, Pom, runs his Atlanta medical clinic, Merritt Fowler looks after her mother-in-law (Mommee), who has Alzheimer's disease. Their anorexic daughter, Glynn, upset with Mommee's malicious ways and lack of attention from Pom, flees to Hollywood to stay with Merritt's immature actress sister. When Merritt follows, the three females set out on a road trip. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

14:37 hours.

Reader: Mitzi Friedlander

Reader: Aileen Seaton

SS Simmie, Lois

BETTY LEE BONNER LIVES THERE.

In this collection of quirky short stories, the reader meets a woman running away from a beer-swilling oaf; a man who believes that God lives behind the counter of the A & W; and a father and daughter isolated in their grief. Some strong language.

5:16 hours.

R Skye, Christina THE RUBY.

A tale of intrigue set in London and Ceylon in the 1860s. The beautiful Barrett Winslow's knowledge of her grandfather's scientific secrets puts her life in jeopardy. The Rajah of Ranapore rescues her, but draws her into the web of his desire under the mystical power of the fabled ruby. Strong language, violence, and explicit descriptions of sex.

18:26 hours.

Reader: Gabriella Cavallero

HF Slaughter, Frank G. THAT NONE SHOULD DIE.

Set during WW2, this novel centres on Dr. Randolph Warren, an idealistic young surgeon who fights against the bad ethics and malpractice in his profession. Woven into his life are his wife, his mistress, and a young patient who vies for his attention.

13:25 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

NF Smeeton, Beryl THE STARS MY BLANKET.

This author relates with enthusiasm the stories of her two remarkable solo journeys before World War II - a thousand mile horseback trek in the Andes, and a hike of several hundred miles through Burma and Siam (now Thailand).

6:55 hours. Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

F Smiley, Jane

ORDINARY LOVE: GOOD WILL: TWO NOVELLAS.

These are two novellas exploring the complexities of contemporary domestic life. In "Ordinary love" a mother recalls the impact of a long- ago affair on the lives of her family. "Goodwill" reveals how unexpected consequences can happen within a self-sufficient family.

6:50 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

M Smith, Julie

THE AXEMAN'S JAZZ.

Detective Skip Langdon, promoted from the policewoman first met in "New Orleans Mourning," investigates the murders of people linked by the anonymity that membership in twelve-step programs provides. Skip and her homicide team go underground, posing as recovering addicts in self-help groups until one member reveals too much. Some strong language. Sequel to "New Orlean's Mourning".

10:27 hours.

Reader: Catherine Byers

Reader: Michele Schaeffer

F Smith, Lee

SAVING GRACE.

Gracie, eleventh child of a poor itinerant preacher, loves her stern father and her spiritual mother, but she doesn't love Jesus. And she is ornery and contentious. She tries to be a good daughter and then a good preacher's wife, but the death of her third baby hardens her heart. She turns against her strict life, searching for her spirit, but grace does not come easily. Strong language and some descriptions of sex.

10:51 hours.

F Smith, Margaret MARGY.

During the 1930s Depression, 13-year-old Margy is sent from her father's Manitoba farm to live with two aunts in Ontario. Margy's irrepressible spirit carries her into many misadventures as she adapts to her new life.

4:15 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

F Smith, Russell

HOW INSENSITIVE.

Ted Owen was searching for work, sex, and big city life when he arrived in Toronto. Instead he found himself among a coterie of overeducated and underemployed young people in the gossipy, grant-driven Toronto cultural scene. Strong language.

7:33 hours.

Reader: Gord McLaughlin

R Spencer, LaVyrle FAMILY BLESSINGS.

Forty-year-old Lee Reston, already a widow, loses her son and turns to his best friend, Christopher Lallek, for comfort. Christopher blossoms when he finds himself welcomed into the warmth of a traditional family, such a contrast to his own dysfunctional one.

14:20 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

R Spencer, LaVyrle THEN CAME HEAVEN.

In a small town in Minnesota during the early 1950s, Eddie Olczak is putting his life back together after the tragic accident which killed his wife. He finds sympathy and companionship in the person of Sister Regina, one of the nuns at his daughter's school. When they fall in love, Sister Regina finds that she must leave both Eddie and her order.

10:25 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

NF Spoerry, Anne

THEY CALL ME MAMA DAKTARI.

This is the remarkable autobiography of Kenya's flying doctor. French-born and educated, Dr. Anne Spoerry was incarcerated in the Ravensbruck concentration camp during W. W. II, then left Europe to practice medicine in Kenya. At age 45 she learned to fly and continued flying to remote parts of the country into her 80s.

8:05 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

NF St Aubin de Terán, Lisa

A VALLEY IN ITALY: THE MANY SEASONS OF A VILLA IN UMBRIA.

This is the story of the author's life and challenges while restoring a run-down Italian villa. It is also a humorous and affectionate portrait of life in an Umbrian village, full of warm people who accept their new neighbours as family.

7:50 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

R Steel, Danielle THE GHOST.

Charles Waterston's marriage is ending, his career is in turmoil and he finds himself stranded in a small Massachusetts town. He is affected by the ghostly presence of a woman named Sarah who arrived in America in 1789 and began keeping diaries, which Charles keenly reads. They give him inspiration to take his life in a new direction.

10:40 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

R Steel, Danielle

THE GIFT.

In a small, peaceful midwestern town during the 1950s, a happy family is shattered by a child's death. A loving marriage begins to unravel, and the arrival of a young woman will change many lives forever.

6:50 hours.

Reader: Barbara Karmazyn

R Steel, Danielle

THE RANCH.

Three old college friends, Mary, Tanya, and Zoe meet by chance at a ranch in the foothills of Wyoming's Grand Tetons. Despite the changes in their lives, their friendship is still a bond they treasure and share. For each of the women, a few weeks at the ranch will bring healing and release, the telling of old secrets, and renewed love.

13:35 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

R Steel, Danielle TO LOVE AGAIN.

Isabella di San Gregorio and her husband, Amadeo, built a fashion empire together, driven by their passionate love for one another, her designs, and his financial acumen. The dream life ends when Amadeo is murdered and Isabella flees to a secluded apartment in New York, fearing for the safety of her son. Desperately trying to keep the fashion house alive, she finds herself reaching out to millionaire Corbett Ewing. Some strong language.

8:36 hours.

Reader: Dorothy Hayward

R Steel, Danielle ZOYA.

In 1917, Zoya escapes from Russia and eventually marries an American. Left a widow with 2 small children during the 1929 stock market crash, she struggles to cope with economic changes, World War II and the 1970s. Some strong language and descriptions of sex. Bestseller 1988.

14:56 hours.

Reader: Jill Ferris

F Stevenson, D. E. SPRING MAGIC.

Set in England during WW2, this novel centres on a woman named Frances who is growing restless at her routine, and worried that she will never marry. When a bomb falls near her home, she sees a golden opportunity to escape and search for people to include in her life.

11:50 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

NF Stewart, Greig

ARROW THROUGH THE HEART: THE LIFE AND TIMES OF CRAWFORD GORDON AND THE AVRO ARROW.

The life of Crawford Gordon, who led A. V. Roe Canada in the 1950s, and who drove the production of the Avro Arrow. Like the Arrow, Gordon's life rose quickly, promised great feats, but met his end tragically.

6:18 hours.

Reader: Mike Minnich

F Stewart, Mary

ROSE COTTAGE.

In the summer of 1947, widow Kate Herrick returns to her childhood home in the idyllic English countryside. She has been sent to Rose Cottage by her grandmother to retrieve some family papers. But there has been a break-in, the papers are missing and the village is alive with gossip about prowlers and ghosts.

6:35 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

J Stine, R. L.

LEGEND OF THE LOST LEGEND.

Justin Clarke, twelve, and his eleven-year-old sister, Marissa, have accompanied their dad on his mission to find the manuscript called the Lost Legend. They want to be helpful, but instead they get lost in the woods of Brovania and find themselves facing strange creatures. Grades 4-7.

3:00 hours.

Reader: Terence Aselford

J Stine, R. L. SUNBURN.

Marla invites three girls to spend a week at her mansion on the beach while her parents are away. The teenagers met the year before at summer camp, which ended in a tragic accident for Marla's sister. Now, suspicious incidents make the others think Marla is seeking revenge. Junior High.

3:20 hours. Reader: Nona Pipes

NF Stone, Irving

JACK LONDON: SAILOR ON HORSEBACK: A BIOGRAPHY.

This is the biography of the well-known American author, Jack London, who wrote, among others, "Call of the wild" and "White Fang". He lived mainly in the San Francisco Bay area. He led a very public life and committed suicide at the age of 50.

11:05 hours. Reader: Harold Roberts

F Stone, Katherine PEARL MOON.

Set in the turbulent times of modern Hong Kong, Maylene Kwan is the architect of a new hotel call the Jade Palace. She falls in love with the builder, a Texan named Sam Coulter. What she doesn't know is that she has an American sister who will come to Hong Kong and challenge everything she has learned and loved.

14:25 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

NF Storr, Anthony SOLITUDE

Perhaps in the glare of the modern-day focus on relationships, the value of solitude has been forgotten. This book explores the connection between solitude and creativity. A number of creative loners from history are described, including Beethoven, Henry James, Goya, Kipling, and Beatrix Potter. All were alone either by choice or circumstances.

8:40 hours.

Reader: William Samples

HF Stribling, T. S. THE FORGE.

An Alabama family, headed by slave owner and cotton farmer Jimmie Vaiden, finds their southern way of life profoundly affected by the Civil War and its aftermath. Strong language. Prequel to "The store."

16:46 hours.

Reader: Ilona Dulaski

Reader: Madelyn Buzzard

NF Stumbo, Bella

UNTIL THE TWELFTH OF NEVER: THE DEADLY DIVORCE OF DAN & BETTY BRODERIC.

Betty Broderick bore four children while her young husband, Dan, completed medical and law school. Sixteen years later, millionaire Dan divorced Betty to marry the office worker he was having an affair with. As he got custody of the children and denied Betty fair support payments, she declined emotionally, finally killing Dan and his wife. Strong language and some violence.

25:54 hours.

Su Sullivan, Mark T. THE FALL LINE.

Four months after he leaves his former life behind, Jack Farrell is skiing in Utah under the name of Nate Collins with a new face given him by government surgeons. He continues to court danger by participating in a Frenchwoman's documentary on skiing. Off the slopes, he relives the horror of his past by reading his wife's diary. Some strong language.

13:41 hours.

Reader: Christopher Walker

NF Suzuki, David T.

THE SACRED BALANCE: REDISCOVERING OUR PLACE IN NATURE.

With a focus on the oceans and the water that maintains all life, Suzuki provides a powerful argument for environmental conservation. Water is at the centre of most human rituals. It symbolizes purification, transformation and new beginnings. Too much water, from global warming, or too foul from pollution, results in the destruction of all life.

9:30 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

Reader: Trish Grainge

NF Szasz, Suzy

LIVING WITH IT: WHY YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE HEALTHY TO BE HAPPY.

This is an upbeat account about how to live with a chronic illness, told by a woman who has learned by doing just this. The author's victory over Lupus gives encouragement and lessons for many others facing ongoing serious struggles with poor health.

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10:25 hours.

NF Tangye, Derek A DONKEY IN THE MEADOW.

This is a heartwarming story of how Penny the donkey and her foal Fred come unexpectedly into the lives of the author and his wife. In the ensuing months the animals create a constant source of humour and pleasure.

3:30 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

NF Terkel, Studs

COMING OF AGE: THE STORY OF OUR CENTURY BY THOSE WHO'VE LIVED IT.

In interviewing seventy very different seniors, the youngest of whom was seventy, the oldest ninety-nine, Terkel creates a panorama of American life and work throughout this century, underscoring the ways in which times have changed. The accounts are moving in their honesty and simplicity.

18:45 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

Reader: John Rayburn

NF Theodosakis, Jason

THE ARTHRITIS CURE: THE MEDICAL MIRACLE THAT CAN REVERSE, AND MAY EVEN CURE OSTEOARTHRITIS. HALT.

A physician and his coauthors describe a nine-step plan to combat osteoarthritis that includes nutritional supplements glucosamine and chondroitin sulfates; correct biomechanics; regular exercise; a healthful, joint-preserving diet; ideal weight; and a positive attitude.

6:05 hours.

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F Theroux, Paul MY OTHER LIFE.

Theroux notes "this is the story of a life I could have lived had things been different - an imaginary memoir". The other I (Theroux) is a fellow wearing a mask, with the man being fiction and the mask, real. Similiar in quality to Theroux's "My secret history", this is a stylish and clever novel, covering 30 years and many countries.

16:25 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

J Thesman, Jean SUMMERSPELL.

Fifteen-year-old Jocelyn Tyler lives with her half-sister, Hope, and Hope's husband, Gerald. But Jocelyn runs away to escape Gerald's sexual harassment and holes up in her cherished family cabin, Summerspell. Much to her chagrin, Jocelyn is joined by Baily, a boy from school, and a stranger named Spider. Junior and senior high readers.

4:00 hours.

Reader: Mimi Bederman

F Thirkell, Angela Mackail THE HEADMISTRESS: A NOVEL.

The Belton family has owned Harefield Park in Barsetshire for generations, but now they must relinquish their home because of rising debts. Fortunately Miss Sparling, headmistress of the Hosiers' Girls' Foundation School, is looking for a new home for the school and is delighted with Harefield Park. Miss Sparling has get plans for the school and her life. Then she meets two dignified gentlemen who are romantically inclined.

11:14 hours.

Reader: Anne Flosnik

M Thomas, Craig A WILD JUSTICE.

A posh birthday party in Washington, D.C., culminates in the brutal murders of businessman Billy Grainger and his wife, Beth. Beth's brother, ex-CIA agent John Lock, delves into the crime, uncovers Grainger's drug-smuggling ring, and follows the trail to Siberia. Violence.

13:52 hours.

Reader: Ken Kliban

M Thomson, June

PAST RECKONING.

On a sentimental journey to her old haunts in coastal Essex, Nina, an attractive widow, is unwittingly involved in the investigation of a brutal murder. Clues lead to a local museum devoted to a '60s poet, and a meeting with Detective Chief Inspector Jack Finch.

6:30 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

NF Tickner, Florence

RAINCOAST CHRONICLES 14: FISH HOOKS & CAULK BOOTS.

Florence Tickner recalls what it was like to grow up in a floating logging camp on BC's west coast during the 1930s. Fishing and logging were kings. There was also moonshine, berry picking and whale stories to fill the day.

3:20 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

W Tippette, Giles

THE TEXAS BANK ROBBING COMPANY.

Outlaw Wilson Young thinks robbing the steamboat will be a snap. Instead, he winds up in a Laredo jail. He manages to escape, rejoin his gang, and establish The Texas Bank Robbing Company. Strong language.

6:56 hours.

Reader: Gregory Ricks

HF Tranter, Nigel G. A RAGE OF REGENTS.

Sir John Carmichael fights at the 1561 Battle of Langside, where Mary, Queen of Scots is defeated. His son John, forced to marry for political reasons, becomes entangled in the murky world of the Scottish regency government, and also grows to love his new wife. Treachery and intrigue mark these turbulent times, vividly woven into this story.

14:05 hours.

Reader: William Samples

SS Trevor, William AFTER RAIN.

One of Ireland's prizewinning authors explores the complexities of the human heart in twelve absorbing stories.

7:05 hours.

Reader: William Samples

F Trollope, Anthony CAN YOU FORGIVE HER?

Three intertwined yet distinct stories of Victorian England, each concerned with one woman and two men. Followed by "Phineas Finn."

31:35 hours.

Reader: Edward March

F Trollope, Anthony THE EUSTACE DIAMONDS.

Lizzie Greystock, a beautiful but greedy and unscrupulous woman, marries wealthy Sir Florian Eustace who soon leaves her a widow in possession of a rare, expensive diamond necklace. The family lawyer wants the necklace returned, but Lizzie is determined to retain it at all costs. Sequel to "Phineas Finn". Followed by "Phineas Redux". Third in the series of Palliser novels.

29:42 hours.

Reader: Dorothy Hayward

F Trollope, Joanna NEXT OF KIN.

The Meredith family owns a dairy farm in the heart of English farmland. When Robin Meredith's Californian wife dies, each family member is affected in different ways. Everyone becomes vulnerable to change and Judy's friend Zoe from London seems to be the catalyst for that change.

10:42 hours.

Reader: Gwen Wild

F Trollope, Joanna

OTHER PEOPLE'S CHILDREN.

When Josie Carver marries Matthew Mitchell, it is the second marriage for them both. Each has children from their former marriages and the formation of the new stepfamily causes much pain and divided loyalties. All the members must overcome difficulties and grow through change in order to affirm their new family ties.

9:50 hours.

Reader: William Samples

SS Twain, Mark

THE COMPLETE SHORT STORIES OF MARK TWAIN.

Sixty stories filled with folklore and wit span Twain's entire writing career and are arranged chronologically by publishing date from 1865 through 1916. Some entries, like "The trials of Simon Erickson" and four other stories from "Roughing it," are fictional yarns extracted from nonfiction works. Includes introduction by editor Charles Neider.

32:45 hours.

Reader: L. J. Ganser

M Valin, Jonathan MISSING.

Private detective and former cop Harry Stoner is hired by Cindy Dorn to find her lover, Mason Greenleaf. The bisexual teacher has been missing for a few days. When leads indicate Greenleaf is helping a sick friend, Dorn drops the search. But Greenleaf's corpse is found in a hotel, and Stoner must determine what caused the apparent suicide. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex.

7:35 hours.

Reader: David Palmer

Su Van Wormer, Laura JUST FOR THE SUMMER.

Highly successful investment banker Mary Liz Scott surprises everyone by retiring at the age of thirty-two. While supposedly vacationing in East Hampton, Mary Liz secretly investigates the estate of her godmother's late husband and finds both suspense and romance. Some strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex.

12:30 hours.

Reader: Ann Hodapp

R Veryan, Patricia THE RIDDLE OF ALABASTER ROYAL.

Set in the early 1800s English countryside, this is part romance and part mystery. A wounded young soldier plans to rebuild a crumbling family estate as part of his recuperation. But upon his arrival at the estate he meets a beautiful woman trying to find out why her mother was murdered.

9:45 hours.

Reader: David Glyn-Jones

M Vine, Barbara A FATAL INVERSION.

In 1976, Adam Verne-Smith collects around him a group of young people at Wyvis Hall, a big country home in Suffolk. Ten years later, the skeletons of a woman and a child are found in the pet cemetary by the new owners of the house.

10:51 hours.

Reader: Christopher Thomas

HF Wallace, Randall BRAVEHEART.

As a boy in 1276, William Wallace lost his father and brother at the hands of the English who fought the Scots for control of Scotland. Now as a young man, Wallace wages a battle to avenge the death of his family and crush the tyranny of England. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex.

7:45 hours.

Reader: Graeme Malcolm

Reader: Trish Grainge

M Walters, Minette THE ECHO.

A homeless alcoholic is found dead from starvation in Amanda Powell's garage in a ritzy area of London. The press is interested but Amanda refuses to comment. Six months later journalist Michael Deacon discovers Amanda very much wants to talk. The journalist's curiosity is piqued and he begins to dig into the story.

12:30 hours.

F Ward, Gregory KONDOR

Filled with corporate intrigue, this novel centres on Dorner automakers, a company that survived Hitler's Germany and now is struggling to compete by releasing their new mini-van, the Kondor. Kristian Peiper, son of one of the founders finds himself embroiled in industrial espionage and political blackmail when company secrets are stolen.

11:00 hours.

Reader: Bryon Johnsen

F Watson, Lawrence MONTANA

A series of events in a small western town change the lives of David Hayden, his sheriff father, his mother, and their Sioux housekeeper, as they discover the truth about family loyalty. It is a tale of love and courage, of power abused, and of the terrible choice between family loyalty and justice. Winner, 1993 Milkweed National Fiction Prize.

4:15 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

M Weldon, Fay WORST FEARS.

In this mystery, London actress Alexandra Ludd and her critic husband Ned lead an enviable life until Ned dies under mysterious circumstances. Alexandria's friends seem strangely anxious to smooth away her doubts and fears as she searches for the truth about Ned's death and her marriage.

7:40 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

HF Wesley, Mary PART OF THE FURNITURE

During WW II 17-year-old Juno Marlowe encounters tragedy, but a series of events lead her to find refuge and peace in the English countryside. There she is taken under the compassionate wing of the estate's owner, who sees the potential for love once Juno sheds her childish ways.

8:25 hours.

Reader: Jacqueline Bishop

W Wheeler, Richard S BADLANDS.

To finish her dead father's study of fossils, spirited Candace Huxtable leaves England for the Nebraska Territory in 1859 to join a field expedition. The other members attempt to exclude her, but she goes with them to the arid and untamed Badlands. There pompous Professor Wood plunders the sacred Sioux burial grounds for artifacts, putting the party in grave danger. Some violence. Winnder of the Golden Spur award.

13:08 hours.

Reader: Don Emmick

NF Whitfield, Eileen

PICKFORD: THE WOMAN WHO MADE HOLLYWOOD.

Biography of the Canadian-born screen legend, Mary Pickford. The author describes Pickford's career in early Hollywood and her profound influence on the development of the film industry through United Artists, the company she founded with D. W. Griffith, Charlie Chaplin, and her husband Douglas Fairbanks.

20:38 hours.

Reader: Peggy Mahon

NF Wiebe, Rudy Henry

STOLEN LIFE: THE JOURNEY OF A CREE WOMAN.

Rudy Wiebe collaborates with Yvonne Johnson, a great-great-granddaughter of Cree Chief Big Bear, to tell the story of her life. Born in Montana with a double-cleft palate, she experienced a life of physical and sexual abuse, and slid into alcoholism before participating in the murder for which she is now in prison. Strong language, descriptions of violence, descriptions of sexual violence.

17:24 hours.

Reader: Mike Morrison

NF Wilson, Cheryl Landon

I PROMISED MY DAD: AN INTIMATE PORTRAIT OF MICHAEL LANDON BY HIS ELDEST DAUGHTER

His exposure through such television series as "Bonanza" and "Little House on the Prairie" gave Michael Landon millions of fans. One of his greatest fans was his adopted daughter Cheryl, with whom he had a close and loving relationship. This book is her story about their time together.

7:50 hours.

Reader: Pat Barlow

F Wilson, F. Paul IMPLANT.

New doctor Gina Panzella returns to Washington, D. C., hoping to work with the congressional medical ethics committee. She also moonlights with friend Duncan Lathram, a former vascular surgeon. Duncan is now a plastic surgeon, and odd things are happening to his congressional patients. Strong language, violence, and explicit descriptions of sex.

12:56 hours.

Reader: Jordan Stewart

NF Windeler, Robert

JULIE ANDREWS: A LIFE ON STAGE AND SCREEN.

Julie Andrews has been a star since she was twelve years old. This sympathetic biography chronicles her career on stage and in films, which include "Mary Poppins" and "Victor/Victoria". It deals with her concern over the issue of typecasting, her years in the professional wilderness, and her successful comeback which confirmed her great talent.

9:35 hours.

Reader: Trish Grainge

NF Wise, Nancy Baker

A MOUTHFUL OF RIVETS: WOMEN AT WORK IN WORLD WAR.

Nancy Baker Wise was among the many women who stepped into jobs left vacant by World War II soldiers. She and her daughter interviewed 137 others like her to describe that experience. The women discuss the types of jobs taken, the training provided, the attitudes of male co-workers and supervisors, the effects on the women's homelife, and their displacement after the war.

10:45 hours.

Reader: Barbara Rappaport

NF Wolfman Jack

HAVE MERCY! : CONFESSIONS OF THE ORIGINAL ROCK 'N' ROLL ANIMAL

The man born Robert Smith describes his metamorphosis into Wolfman Jack as a disc jockey in Mexico in the 1960s. His popularity extended to the United States, where over the years he rubbed shoulders with musicians such as Elvis Presley, the Temptations, John Lennon, and Chuck Berry and got to play himself in the movie "American Graffiti." Strong language and some descriptions of sex.

10:46 hours.

Reader: Terence Aselford

SF Wolverton, Dave

THE COURTSHIP OF PRINCESS LEIA.

Han Solo confronts a new rival for Princess Leia's affections. It is Prince Isolder, who will join the sixty-three high-tech worlds of the Hapes Consortium with the New Republic into an alliance, if Leia will marry him.

11:30 hours.

Reader: Robert Adams

NF WOMEN WITH DISABILITIES: FOUND VOICES.

An anthology of essays, most writted by women with disabilities, documenting the adversity and abuse disabled women face. Conveys the feelings of isolation and exclusion they feel in a "disability-phobic culture" and calls for activism and coalition building as a proper response.

8:52 hours.

Reader: Kerry Cundiff

R Woodiwiss, Kathleen E. MARRIED AT MIDNIGHT.

Woodiwiss and three different authors recount the stories of four more brides. In each account a young woman unexpectedly finds herself becoming a bride surprised by unforeseen love. Explicit descriptions of sex and some violence. Sequel to "Three weddings and a kiss."

11:50 hours.

Reader: Mitzi Friedlander

M Woods, Stuart CHOKE.

Former Wimbledon contender Chuck Chandler teaches tennis in Key West. His first clients are millionaire Harry Carras and his wife, Clare. Chuck's attraction to Clare makes him a murder suspect when Harry dies in a mysterious diving accident. Strong language and explicit descriptions of sex.

8:30 hours.

Reader: Bruce Huntey

F Wright, Austin McGiffert TELLING TIME.

The Westerly family reunites amid confusion about the elderly father's condition. Did he have a stroke, was he shot intervening in a hostage situation, or both? Through notes, faxes, and letters to each other during the crisis, members share stories and quirks. The most surprising revelations are found in the father's papers after his death. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.

9:44 hours.

Reader: David Hartley-Margolin

M Wright, L. R.

ACTS OF MURDER.

Sechelt's best-known cleaning lady proves to be an unexpected link in Karl Alberg's investigation of three deaths, all victims of a killer known as "the avenging Angel." Strong language, violence and some sexual content.

8:29 hours.

Reader: Mike Morrison

HF Yevtushenko, Yevgeny Aleksandrovich DON'T DIE BEFORE YOU'RE DEAD

A fictionalized chronicle of the three-day attempted coup in the Soviet Union in 1991. Depicts citizens struggling for freedom yet still insecure from their long subjugation to Communism. Blends autobiography, political suspense, and love stories to dramatize the historic event. Strong language.

15:50 hours.

Reader: Ken Kliban

NF York, Geoffrey

PEOPLE OF THE PINES: THE WARRIORS AND THE LEGACY OF OKA.

During the summer of 1990 the Canadian media focused on an armed standoff in Quebec between the Mohawk warriors on one side, and police and the military on the other. This is a portrait of the Mohawk Warrior Society, and the dramatic final weeks of the military seige.

15:30 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

R York, Rebecca

FOR YOUR EYES ONLY.

Jenny Larkin lost her sight in a car accident in high school. She blames herself, though no one else does. Ben Brisco has always loved Jenny, yet never expressed it. Their feelings come to the surface when Jenny becomes a possible witness in her best friend's murder. Some descriptions of sex.

7:50 hours.

Reader: Jim Zeiger

NF Zamir, Israel

JOURNEY TO MY FATHER, ISAAC BASHEVIS SINGER

Profile of Nobel laureate Isaac Bashevis Singer by his son, Israel Zamir. Abandoned by his father in 1935, Zamir initiates contact with Singer twenty years later in New York. Slowly and with much difficulty, father and son forge a relationship despite profound differences in philosophy, spirituality, and politics. Zamir eventually agrees to translate his father's works from Yiddish to Hebrew.

7:35 hours.

Reader: Ray Hagen

SF Zelazny, Roger BLOOD OF AMBER.

For Merle, Amber has become a world of dangers and ambiguities, where friends and foes are sometimes indistinguishable. Magic works but technology does not, and a powerful family of warring princes can move through "shadows", creating a web of complex intrigue. 7th in the series. Sequel to "Trumps of doom"; followed by "Sign of chaos".

6:25 hours.

Reader: Richard Nazarewich

SF Zelazny, Roger SIGN OF CHAOS.

Merle embarks upon another marathon adventure, leading him back to the court of Amber and finally to a confrontation at the Keep of the Four Worlds, where he learns of the peculiar involvement of the Courts of Chaos in his predicament. Number 8 in the series. Preceded by "Blood of amber" and followed by "Knight of shadows".

6:10 hours.

Reader: Harold Roberts

AUDIOBOOKS

Th Callison, Brian

A PLAGUE OF SAILORS.

A cargo of wheat en route to Israel is purposely infected with deadly anthrax by terrorists. In order to stop the death of a nation and the possible escalation into a nuclear war, Brevet Cable becomes embroiled in murder and ambush on the high seas.

6:5 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

Su Callison, Brian

THE JUDAS SHIP.

It is December 1941, some 200 miles off the Brazilian coastline. It is a time of nerve-rending anticipation for the crew aboard the merchantman "Maya Star", with its cargo of high explosives. After a German naval shell blasts her radio room, the British vessel is running blind, a flaming time bomb darting for escape, with most of her crew already dead or dying.

6:25 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

M Cohen, Anthea

ANGEL WITHOUT MERCY.

Nurse-supervisor Marion Hughes was a cruel despotic woman who enjoyed catching others in their mistakes. She knew everyone's failings and therein lay the source of her considerable power. Was there no cure for her evil ways? It seemed to more than one of her colleagues that there was - and the prescription was murder.

5:5 hours.

Reader: Sheila Mitchell

F Eden, Emily

THE SEMI-ATTACHED COUPLE.

An insightful look into the attitudes and customs of 19th century marriage.

6:00 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

HF Graham, Winston CAMEO

Spanning one war-torn week in April 1941, this is a brilliant evocation of the tension of Blitz-shattered London. Squadron leader Andrew Halford inadvertently discovers the body of a strangled woman and resolves to find her murderer. The trail leads him to circumstances of great importance to the future of Britain in the war.

8:00 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

SS Jacobs, W. W.

THE MONKEY'S PAW AND OTHER SMORT STORIES.

Serpents, skinflints, skivers, suitors and sundry sailors take the foreground in these stories about the East End of London. Both humorous and poignant, these tales of London and the mythical village of Claybury, at the turn of the century, are compelling and enjoyable.

5:75 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

NF James, Paul

PRINCE EDWARD: A LIFE IN THE SPOTLIGHT.

This authorized biography is not merely a portrait of one man, but gives us insight into the entire monarchy. Prince Edward's first biography provides a revealing appraisal of the life, character and career of the Queen's youngest and least-known son.

8:5 hours.

CL Kipling, Rudyard

CAPTAINS COURAGEOUS

Harvey Cheyne, pampered son of an American millionaire, is swept overboard from the deck of a liner. Picked up by a small fishing boat out trawling the Grand Banks, he's confronted with the harsh realities of life, and has to come to terms with himself and morality of the New England fishermen.

5:05 hours.

Reader: John Chaucer

NF Lord, Walter

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER.

When this book was first published in 1955, it generated a fascination with the sinking of the Titanic, that has lasted for years. In this dramatic and historic recreation of the bravery and agony that marked that fateful night, distinguished author and historian Walter Lord paints a vivid portrait of the last hours of the Titanic's first and final voyage.

6:00 hours.

Reader: Fred Williams

M Mitchell, Gladys

THREE QUICK AND FIVE DEAD.

This is a story of a mass murderer. To find the identity of the killer, Dame Beatrice Lestrange Bradley has to untangle the clues found pinned to the victims. Three suspects each challenge the powers and ingenuity of the detective.

7:00 hours.

Reader: Eliza Hunt

Th Morrison, Arthur A CHILD OF THE IAGO.

This is both a thriller and a condemnation of the social conditions in the East End slums of London at the turn of the century. Boy-hero Dicky Perrot is at heart full of humane instinct, but his environment ensures downfall.

5:75 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

F Morrison, Arthur

THE HOLE IN THE WALL.

Young Stephen Kemp is taken to live with his grandfather, Nat Kemp, after the death of his mother. Nat is determined to keep his grandson apart from the seamier side of the Docklands, but Stephen has a natural inquisitiveness that will not be quelled. A yarn of skulduggery and atmosphere which rattles along.

6:75 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

NF Murphy, Audie

TO HELL AND BACK.

This is the story of Audie Murphy, the most decorated soldier in American history, winning every medal his country offered, including the Congressional Medal of Honor. It follows his army career through Sicily, Anzio, Rome, France and finally into Germany itself.

9:00 hours.

Reader: Tom Parker

HF Nicole, Christopher

OLD GLORY.

Harry McGann is forced to flee his native Ireand and joins John Paul Jones to become a prominent figure fighting for independence. Together, they experience a world of danger on both land and sea.

13:00 hours.

M Price, Anthony OTHER PATHS TO GLORY.

The past is always ready to avenge itself on the present. The past refers to 1916 and the dead of the 29th Battalion of Rifles, almost wiped out during an attack at Bouillet Wood on the Somme. Paul Mitchell has to find out its significance for the present and the reasons for the death of several men - to save his own life and to solve a deadly and complex investigation.

8:00 hours.

Reader: Peter Joyce

NF Russell, Charles M. TRAILS PLOWED UNDER.

These tales from the early days of Montana and Wyoming depict the author's philosophy on such varying topics as marriage, whisky and just staying alive.

4:00 hours.

Reader: Garrick Hagon

F Trollope, Anthony DR. WORTLE'S SCHOOL.

When Dr. Wortle, in good faith, hires a couple as teacher and matron at his school, scandal about their marriage is subsequently brought to light. Will the doctor submit to the social pressures brought to bear on him by the gossip, the local newspaper and the bishop or will he hold true to his humanism, perhaps losing respect, school and livelihood as a result? This is Trollope's most merciless attack on false moralising and hypocrisy in the Victorian age.

9:00 hours.

CL Twain, Mark PUDD'NHEAD WILSON

Mark Twain's novel of satirical wit was aimed at injustices in the southern states of America in the middle of the 19th century. It tells the story of two children, one born free, the other a slave. When the slave's mother switches the infants in their cradles, she is not the only one who lives to regret the action.

6:00 hours.

Reader: Gord Newcombe

M Wainwright, John PORTRAIT IN SHADOWS.

This is the story of a ruthless, amoral killer--from his first murder at age fifteen, to a life spent as a contract assassin. There are moments of thrilling excitement as he plans and executes his crimes, while justice slowly catches up with him, and the police inquiry starts to reveal his identity.

9:50 hours.

JUVENILE TALKING BOOKS

J Coman, Carolyn WHAT JAMIE SAW.

Jamie wasn't sure what woke him up, but the first thing he saw was his baby sister, Nin, being thrown across the room by Van. Right then, Jamie and his mother and sister left the house and went to see her long-time friend Earl. Earl lets them live in his old trailer, and everything seems fine until Van shows up. Some strong language. Grades 3-6. Newbery Honor Book 1996.

1:48 hours.

Reader: Ray Hagen

J Dixon, Franklin W.

THE MYSTERY OF THE SILVER STAR.

Someone tries to sabotage Keith Holland's specially-built Silver Star bicycle to knock him out of the Bike-Aid race. When the Hardy boys investigate, both the Silver Star and Keith disappear. Grades 4-7.

3:10 hours.

Reader: David Palmer

J Doyle, Brian HEY, DAD!

Megan's family problems become so serious, she finally runs away. Followed by "You can pick me up at Peggy's Cove". Grades 3-6.

3:15 hours.

Reader: Jean Stephens

J George, Jean Craighead, THERE'S AN OWL IN THE SHOWER.

Borden Watson's father, a logger in northern California, is out of work because the government has banned logging in order to save the spotted owl. Borden is so angry he vows to kill any spotted owl he sees. Then he adopts what he thinks is a baby barred owl that has fallen from its nest. Grades 2-4.

1:45 hours.

Reader: Terence Aselford

J Keene, Carolyn

THE CASE OF THE DISAPPEARING DIAMONDS.

The famous mystery writer Beatrice Crown has asked Nancy Drew to prove that her daughter, Karen, is not the thief of a fabulous set of diamonds. Soon after, Beatrice Crown's car takes a mysterious plunge into a canyon, and she disappears. While Nancy is flying over the canyon in search of Ms. Crown, her plane crashes, and solving the case becomes a matter of life and death. Grades 5-8.

3:30 hours.

Reader: Terry Hayes Sales

J Kjelgaard, Jim STORMY.

Young Allan Marley lives alone in the Beaver Flowage wilderness. One snowy November twilight, Allan courageously rescues a huge, black hunting dog that has fallen through the ice. The boy and dog are both strong and independent, and a bond grows between them. Grades 5-8.

3:38 hours.

Reader: Jack Fox

J Lowry, Lois SEE YOU AROUND, SAM!

Four-year-old Sam Krupnik comes home from school delighted with a set of fangs that makes him look disgusting. His mother won't let him wear them in the house, so Sam decides to run away to Alaska. But after Sam leaves home, he needs food and a drink of water -- and maybe there isn't any reason to hurry to Alaska. Grades 3-6.

2:22 hours.

Reader: Rick Rohan

J Lunn, Janet Louise Swoboda THE HOLLOW TREE.

In 1777, fifteen-year-old Phoebe Olcott is thrown into the turmoil of the American Revolutionary War when her cousin gideon is hanged as a British spy. When she finds a secret message from Gideon, containing the names of Loyalist families to be protected by British soldiers, she must deliver it to the British general at Fort Ticonderoga. Grades 5-8. Winner of the Governor General's Award.

6:39 hours.

Reader: Charlotte Smith

J Pearson, Kit

AWAKE AND DREAMING.

Theo lives a miserable, poverty-stricken life with her young, irresponsible mother. She dreams of belonging to a "real" family, with two parents and brothers and sisters. When it happens, she can't believe it, and when her new life literally fades away, she wonders if it was ever even real. Grades 5-8.

5:27 hours.

Reader: Susan Daly

J Pullman, Philip THE TIN PRINCESS.

In 1882, ten years after Adelaide disappears, detective Jim Taylor tracks her down. Beautiful, illiterate Adelaide, twenty-two, has secretly married Prince Rudolf of Razkavia. When his brother is shot, the two return to Razkavia with Taylor and Becky, Adelaide's interpreter. The king dies, Rudolph is crowned and assassinated, and Adelaide becomes queen. Junior and Senior high readers.

9:58 hours.

Reader: Lisette Lecat

J Savitz, Harriet May A GIRL'S BEST FRIEND.

Laurie Moss, twelve, is worried that her parents will put their old beagle, Jessie, to sleep because of her arthritis. The vet has some new medicine, but it is expensive so Laurie takes a part-time job. Her boss is blind, like Laurie, and very particular about how things are done at his bike shop. Grades 3-6.

2:16 hours.

Reader: Dani Carr

Reader: Mac Samples

J Sewell, Anna

BLACK BEAUTY: THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF A HORSE.

Black Beauty, a stallion, tells of his suffering as he is sold from one cruel master to another. This book, first published in 1877, was written to dramatize the cruelties inflicted on horses in 19th century England. Grades 4-7.

6:00 hours.

JNF Silverstein, Alvin DIABETES.

Discusses the two types of diabetes -- type I, which is found mostly in children, teens, and young adults, and type II which is found mainly in obese middle-aged and older adults. The authors provide a brief history and discuss causes, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of this metabolic disorder. Includes glossary and bibliography. Junior high and older.

2:59 hours. Reader: Butch Hoover

J Smith, Margaret MARGY.

During the 1930s Depression, 13-year-old Margy is sent from her father's Manitoba farm to live with two aunts in Ontario. Margy's irrepressible spirit carries her into many misadventures as she adapts to her new life.

4:15 hours. Reader: Pat Barlow

J Stine, R. L.

THE BEAST FROM THE EAST.

Ginger Wald and her ten-year-old twin brothers, Nat and Pat, are on a camping trip with their parents. They have taken a walk into the woods while their parents set up camp. But they get lost and suddenly find themselves facing several large beasts. Grades 4-7.

2:10 hours. Reader: Ilona Dulaski

J Stine, R. L.

Johanna Wise lives on Fear Street next door to her teacher, Mr. Northwood. Mr. Northwood seems to have it in for a group of Johanna's wealthy classmates. When she begins dating one of them, they dare her to kill their teacher. Junior High.

3:11 hours.

Reader: Nona Pipes

J Stine, R. L.

THE HEADLESS GHOST.

Hill House is supposed to be haunted -- by the ghost of a thirteen-year-old boy with no head. Duane and Stephanie have never actually seen the ghost-until the night they decide to go on a search for his head. Grades 4-7.

2:13 hours.

Reader: Tom Pettingill

J Stine, R. L. SUNBURN.

Marla invites three girls to spend a week at her mansion on the beach while her parents are away. The teenagers met the year before at summer camp, which ended in a tragic accident for Marla's sister. Now, suspicious indicents make the others think Marla is seeking revenge. Junior High.

3:20 hours.

Reader: Nona Pipes

J Walters, Eric TRAPPED IN ICE

Thirteen-year-old Helen joins her mother and younger brother aboard the "Karluk" in 1913 as part of the Canadian Arctic Expedition. Helen records the events of the voyage in her diary as the ill-fated expedition becomes trapped in the ice of an early Arctic freeze-over, and they are forced to leave the ship to find solid land. Grades 5-8.

5:34 hours.

Reader: Holly Blizzard

J Wynne-Jones, Tim

STEPHEN FAIR: A NOVEL.

At the age of fifteen Stephen begins having nightmares like the ones that drove his older brother away from home. Eventually the dreams lead to a discovery that is shocking but that ultimately allows his family to come back together. Junior High.

6:16 hours. Reader: Patricia Ross

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The Joy Luck Club

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Some other organizations that provide services to people with a print-handicap are:

Ferguson Library for Print Handicapped Students at Saint Mary's University

This library provides resources and services for post-secondary students and professionals who cannot read conventional text due to a disability. We lend books on audio tape and computer disk. A volunteer reading program records requested books to audio tape.

Individuals who wish to use the collection or who would like to volunteer as readers may contact the Ferguson Library at 420-5553.

Any library user who needs additional special assistance because of a disability may contact the Coordinator of Special Services at 420-5507 or 420-5144 (TDD).

The library provides audio tapes and computer disks of books and other printed materials. It also offers other assistance to print-handicapped individuals. Books which are not available elsewhere can be read onto audio tape by a dedicated group of volunteer readers.

A Kurzweil text scanning machine is available to convert print materials to audio or ASCII computer text. A large print and voice synthesizer computer terminal is available for using library catalogues and other research tools.

CNIB

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind serves persons who are unable to read print due to a visual disability. Books, magazines, and other materials in braille and on audiocassette are circulated by mail, free of charge, from the CNIB National Library in Toronto.

Users may register for this service at any of the following locations:

Halifax - 6136 Almon St., P.O. Box 8180, B3K 5L9, Phone: 453-1480 Sydney - 189 Townsend St., P.O. Box 346, B1P 6H2, Phone: 564-5711 Truro - 35 Commercial St., Suite 316, B2N 3H8, Phone: 893-9546 Yarmouth - 36 John St., P.O. Box 494, B5A 4B4, Phone: 742-2046

NATIONAL BROADCAST READING SERVICE

NBRS is a non-profit charitable organization established in 1989 to make information more accessible to people with impaired vision and for seniors.

Services offered by NBRS are:

VoicePrint

VoicePrint is Canada's first national broadcast reading service and is carried by Canadian cable television companies. The channels vary from region to region, so you are advised to check with your local cable company on how to find it. VoicePrint can also be received (via subcarrier 7.425/transponder 8B or 16/on Anik E2) by rural listerns who have satellite dishes.

VoicePrint broadcasts 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Along with readings from daily newspapers, listeners can also hear articles from more than 100 magazines and publications from across Canada and around the world.

AUDIOVISION CANADA

Audiovision is Canada's first video description service which creates a concise narrative description of the visual action of a film so that it complements the dialogue, sound effects and music.

Described movies on video cassette can be played on any VCR and enable someone with low vision to enjoy films with family or friends who are fully sighted.

Described movies on audiocassette (Audiocinema) can be played on any audio cassette player; eg. Walkman or car stereo. They appeal to *everyone* because of their listen-anywhere convenience, and because of the uniquely engaging entertainment they provide.

To contact NBRS call 1-800 - 567-6775 or write to: National Broadcast Reading Service 150 Laird Drive, Annex Toronto ON M4G 3V7

John Milton Society for the Blind in Canada

Canadians who are blind or visually impaired may subscribe to or borrow resources. All publications are mailed free of charge. The Society produces and circulates Christian materials including:

Insight - a large print church magazine of inspirational and topical articles. Insound - a quarterly themed cassette tape focusing on current Christian issues, music and interviews.

In Touch - a braille devotional magazine of stories, humour, hymns, prayers, meditations and current library issues. Library-In-Sound - a wide variety of tapes, including music, meditations, sermons, seminars and childrens' stories may be borrowed. Individuals may request a catalogue of titles for selection purposes.

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Canadian Bible Society

Bibles are available in both audiocassette and braille formats and in four versions - King James, Revised Standard, Good News and New International. People who have a registered CNIB card or a letter from a physician verifying need can order free of charge.

Canadian Bible Society 6080 Young St., Suite 312 Halifax, Nova Scotia B3K 5L2 Phone: (902) 455-2211